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**WHITEAWAY'S**

## Nazi Organ Says: "Return Settlements" BERLIN PRESS AIDS JAPANESE CLAIMS

Berlin, May 26.  
The GERMAN press has started to back Japan's claims on the international settlements in China.

Berlin papers are openly telling the democracies that they should accept the Japanese standpoint with regard to the creation of a new order in the Far East, instead of placing obstacles in the way.

A "Trans-Ocean" message quotes "Voelkischer Beobachter," the central organ of the National-Socialist Party, which, in a front page article, comes out in support of Japanese demands for the extension of Japanese sovereignty over international settlements on Chinese soil.

After describing the measures recently taken against Japan by Britain, France and the United States, which are seen by the paper to be direct or indirect backing of Chiang Kai-shek, emphasis is laid on the way in which the Japanese Government has all along insisted on "its sole and elementary right" to set up a new order in the Far East.  
This, it is contended by the German commentator, does not mean the exclusion of foreign Powers from the field of economic activity in Eastern Asia.  
London, Paris and Washington, he says, would be well advised to accept this Japanese standpoint, instead of trying to place obstacles in the way of the Japanese whenever they see a chance of so doing.—Trans-Ocean.

## Greetings To Queen Mary Present From Duke And Duchess

LONDON, May 26.  
BIRTHDAY greetings to Queen Mary are pouring in to Marlborough House from all over the world.

The family luncheon party, which is usually the chief feature of her anniversary celebrations, was cancelled to-day owing to the fact that the Queen Mother has not yet recovered from the effects of her molarling accident.

Members of the royal family called personally and sent messages, and there was a long cable to her from Their Majesties in Canada.—Reuter Special.

### Gardens Of Flowers

Queen Mary remained confined to her room for her 72nd birthday.

Her Majesty received more flowers to-day than she has done for many years.

A present from the Duke and Duchess of Windsor arrived this morning.—United Press.

## ROYAL TOUR EXCEEDS ALL EXPECTATIONS

OTTAWA, May 26.—The royal tour is proving successful beyond all expectations. In the words of the man-in-the-street, "the King has the tour in the bag."

The King's affable and democratic bearing has gone a long way towards achieving success, but what has won the hearts of the Canadian is the way in which Their Majesties have repeatedly altered arrangements in order to

## Magic Hands May Never Play Again

THE MAGICAL hands of Ignace Paderewski, the incomparable pianist, may never again thrill public audiences.

Paderewski, who in addition to being a musical genius, was one time President of Poland and is known as Poland's "George Washington", collapsed from a heart attack shortly before he was due to give a concert in New York last night, says "United Press." Friends fear that he may never play again.

His physicians warned him last night that owing to the extremely high rate of his pulse, playing his concert programme might bring on a fatal heart attack.

Paderewski easily ranks as the most brilliant pianist of modern times. He has had a remarkable career, in the course of which he indulged in politics with the same facility and success as he performed on the piano.

### Jobut In Films

Apart from the fact that he has given thousands of concert-goers his debut in Vienna in 1887, Paderewski, two years ago at the age of 76, made his first full-length film, when he starred in "Moonlight Sonata", which was shown in Hongkong some months ago.

In this picture he sent Hongkong music lovers delirious with delight with his playing of "Polonaise", "Hungarian Rhapsody", and the "Moonlight Sonata".

When the film was finished, the great genius declared: "It is extremely unlikely I shall ever make another." When the picture was given its premiere in Paris, Paderewski was too ill to attend.

### Amazing Vitality

Challenging Paderewski's sheer skill as a pianist is his prodigious vitality, which even at the age of 76, enabled him to continue to give platform concerts. He has never failed to fill the world's largest auditoriums, and his exquisite playing has been the source of inspiration to countless thousands.

Paderewski received his first lessons from his mother at the age of three. Two years later he started composing.

Ever since music has been the greatest influence in his life. The entire world has listened enthralled to his playing for the last 52 years, and the possibility that he will never again be heard on a public platform seems unbelievable.

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## AMERICAN LINER UNHINDERED JAPANESE DEFER FURTHER ACTION

FEARS THAT the American President liner President Coolidge would be made the subject of a further Japanese naval demonstration were set to rest this morning when the ship arrived in Hongkong at 8.30 a.m.

Apparently, no further action is being taken by the Japanese naval authorities on the lines suggested in the threat issued in Tokyo.

It is emphasised, however, that the Japanese blockade does not commence until next Thursday.

Rumours were strongly current last night that the British and French naval authorities in the Far East contemplate strong reprisals if any further Japanese action on the lines of the recent hold-up of the Rangoon and Aramis is taken.

These reprisals, it is rumoured, will take the form of refusing clearance papers to Japanese ships using British and French ports for treble or quadruple the time British or French ships are held up.

Attempts to obtain verification of these rumours in official quarters are unavailing.

### C.-in-C. in Foochow

The British Commander-in-Chief, Sir Percy Noble, arrived in Foochow, H.M.S. Birmingham this morning. It is believed that he will leave for Shanghai this evening or to-morrow.

The British Ambassador, contrary to expectations, has not remained in Kulangsu. Sir Archibald Kerr is understood to have transferred to H.M.S. Birmingham as soon as he arrived in Amoy in H.M.S. Cornwall, and is now proceeding to Shanghai in the flagship.

### Navy Talks Fail

SHANGHAI, May 27.—United States Naval authorities understand that the Anglo-American Franco-Japanese naval negotiations at Kulangsu have been terminated without an agreement.

It is presumed that the diplomatic officers will now take up the negotiations.

Meanwhile "Domel" from Tokyo reports that the Japanese authorities have condemned the termination of the naval negotiations, which they interpret as "a dirty trick aimed at shifting to the shoulders of the Consul-General the responsibility for the virtual deadlock in the negotiations."

Belated Chinese reports here to-day state that Japanese planes demolished a British church at Changpu, in Fukien, on May 14. They also badly damaged a British primary school at Teyuan and the Womens School at Yangshu. The reports said two British priests are at present on route to Kulangsu to report to the British authorities there.—United Press.

### Consular Parleys

Amoy, May 27.—Diplomatic negotiations regarding the proposed reform of the Kulangsu Municipal Council were understood to have been resumed when Mr. Goro Uchida, the Japanese Consul-General, received Mr. E. H. Hitchcock, acting Chairman of the Municipal Council, at 3.30 p.m. yesterday.

It was understood that measures for amelioration of the general situation of the five-point Japanese proposal to the Municipal Council were discussed. Mr. Hitchcock is reported to have promised to reply to the Japanese proposals in a few days, after consultation with the Municipal Council authorities.

## TRIPLE ENTENTE Japan Suspects Far East Clause

LONDON, May 26.  
GREAT BRITAIN has sent Moscow complete proposals for a tri-power mutual aid pact.

It is understood they have informed the United States, Poland, Rumania, Turkey and other governments of the substance of the proposals which the French Government has approved.

The British Foreign Secretary has instructed the British Ambassador to Moscow to deliver the note to the Soviet Foreign Commissar or Vice-Commissar at the earliest possible opportunity.

The note is a compact draft of 400 words which has become the text of a formal alliance provided the Soviet accepts, which the British are confident they will do.—United Press.

### Apply To Far East?

TOKYO, May 27.—The scope of the tripartite agreement between Great Britain, France and the Soviet Union will eventually be extended to the Far East, despite the assurances given by those Powers, local Japanese newspapers unanimously assert.

The "Chugai Shogyo" says that the so-called anti-aggression front will apparently be limited to Europe for the moment but that the Far East will eventually be included in its scope with further developments in the situation.

"It is a grave self-contradiction on the part of the Powers championing the cause of Democracy that they should institute collaboration with the Soviet Union to antagonise the Rome-Berlin combine, the paper adds.—Domel.

## Stricken Boy Prays At Lourdes

LOURDES, May 26.  
Fred Snite, the American boy who is a victim of infantile paralysis, lay in an iron lung through two early morning masses to-day, despite a bitterly cold wind, and prayed for "those poor English Belgians and French invalid pilgrims beside me in the grotto," while he gave thanks for life.—United Press.

BERLIN, May 26.—It is announced that the visit of Prince and Princess Paul of Yugoslavia beginning on June 1 will last a week, during which time he will be lavishly entertained by Herr Hitler, Dr. Josef Goebbels, Herr Joachim von Ribbentrop and Field-Marshal Hermann Goering individually.—Reuter.

Powers' proposals for the joint withdrawal or reduction of the landing forces at Kulangsu.

The Japanese authorities reportedly desire to continue conversations between the naval commanders of the Powers concerned side by side with the diplomatic negotiations.—Domel.

French Protest  
PARIS, May 26.—The French Government has ordered the Admiral commanding the French Atlantic fleet to protest to the Japanese against the halting and searching of the French liner Aramis.

The Government is also studying the question of the Japanese blockade. The final attitude will be taken in conjunction with Britain, who is reported as being determined to enforce its rights.—United Press.

## TO-DAY'S NEW MAP



Great floods which have burst both banks of the Rhine were reported last night to have flooded the famous German Siegfried Line.

These defences, which are the German counterpart of France's Maginot Line, although belatedly not quite so impregnable, were built by Herr Hitler during last September's crisis.

An official spokesman in Berlin last night, says a "Reuter message", denied the reports that the floods had entered the fortifications.

The floods are the greatest experienced along the line within living memory.

## ASSASSIN RUMOURS

Two Attempts On Life Of Il Duce

PARIS, May 26.  
THE "Soir", in a report from Nice to-day, said there have been two attempts recently to assassinate Mussolini.

The first attempt was made on April 27 and the second early in May.

The report asserts that in both instances the assassins were executed almost immediately.

The second assassin refused to identify himself or his supporters, despite severe pressure.

However, he said that several hundred people have taken the same oath as himself "to rid Italy of an oppressor—and I hope one of us succeeds."

Reports from Rome said the Ministry of Press Propaganda has denied that there have been any attempts on Mussolini's life recently.—United Press.

## £1,000,000 Loss For London

To Bear Full Loss Of Paris Fire

PARIS, May 26.  
THE Compagnie Generale Trans-Atlantique stated to-day that the insurers of the sunken liner Paris have decided to pay the company total insurance on the liner, namely 96,000,000 francs.

It is understood that the London market will bear almost the entire expense of this operation.—Reuter.

## Tomb for 26 men

SUBMARINE SEALED

PORTSMOUTH, May 26.

WITH 26 MEN sealed in the flooded compartments, the sunken submarine Squalus has now become a salvage job which may take days, or perhaps weeks.

It is a job that must be done before there can be any explanation of the fatal plunge to 40 fathoms during a routine dive.

All the evidence at present indicates that a main air induction valve was open when the submarine was semi-submerged.

However, Alfred Pien, a seaman, who was on duty at the control board, insisted that even when the Squalus tilted stern first at an angle of 45 degrees and plunged stern first to the bottom "it could still see the control board and could see all the lights glowing, which meant that all valves were closed."

## Raising The Ship

The plan generally being discussed is to send down divers with hoses to attach to valves on the hull of the vessel. Air will be pumped down to the closed boat to force the water from the flooded chambers and enable the Squalus to rise under her own buoyancy.

Otherwise she will be raised with the aid of pontoons, ten of which are PLEASE Turn To Page 4.

## LATEST

## Invitation To Soviet

LONDON, May 27.—It has been learnt from official sources that Great Britain has invited the Soviet Defence Minister, M. Voroshilov, to personally attend the British Army manoeuvres in September.

No arrangements have been made, however, for the British War Minister, Mr. Hore-Belisha, to visit the Soviet.

Unofficial quarters express the belief that Mr. Hore-Belisha will pay a return visit and attend the Red Army headquarters.—United Press.

## China Blockade

WASHINGTON, May 26.—The State Department, to-day said they are still officially unaware of any blockade of China ports.

They drew attention to the fact that no United States ship has been halted and also that the Japanese have not even drawn the United States attention to the matter unofficially.

The State Department is said to be watching very closely the progress of the President Coolidge, which arrived in Hongkong, unimpeded, at 8.30 a.m.—United Press.

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# BRAIN WAVES ARE NEW MEDICAL CLUE

## Institute To Study Cause Of Disease

THE Burden Neurological Institute, founded and endowed by Mrs. R. E. Burden in the hope of learning the cause of epilepsy and finding a remedy for it, was formally opened in Bristol recently by Sir Thomas Inskip, the Dominions Secretary.

Mrs. Burden has acted for nine years as Warden of the Stoke Park Colony, which her husband, the Rev. H. N. Burden, founded and endowed on the outskirts of Bristol. The new research institute adjoins the Colony.

Mrs. Burden's colleague in this adventure is Dr. Frederick Golla, who recently resigned his position as Professor of Pathology of Mental Disease in London University to give all his energy to his new work.

Dr. Golla has a wonderful and comparatively new instrument in his hand—the "encephalograph."

"Brain-writer." This device measures your "brain-waves" and distinguishes between those which are normal and healthy and those which are symptoms of disease.

When I say "brain-waves" I don't mean it in the popular sense of bright ideas. I mean waves in the same sense as, say, the long or short waves of broadcasting—waves of electrical radiation.

You know how an electrical condenser works. It builds up and stores an electrical charge, and discharges it when it cannot hold any more. The nerve-cells of our brains act like electrical condensers.

Whenever the brain is at rest they are perpetually accumulating and discharging a tiny charge of electricity too small to be detected except by the most delicate instruments.

Four Wavelengths

Four kinds of "brain-wave" have so far been distinguished. They have been labelled Alpha, Beta, Gamma and Delta waves, after the first four letters in the Greek alphabet.

The Alpha waves, sometimes called the Berger rhythm, after the name of the scientist who discovered them, have a regular "beat" of about ten to the second. While your eyes are open, looking at something, or if you are straining to see something in the dark, they stop.

But all the time that you are lying at rest, in a dark room with your eyes shut, the nerve cells of your brain continue to discharge. The Alpha waves ten times a second. The brain goes on, ticking over gently, like a standing car, so long as the visual nerves are out of use.

Different creatures have a different rhythm. Man's brain emits Alpha waves at the rate of ten a second. A cat's brain emits from two to four, and a rabbit's from three to five.

Secondly there are the Beta waves. These beat in the human brain at the rate of 25 to the second. They are interrupted if anything unexpectedly touches the skin, just as the Alpha waves are interrupted if you open your eyes.

Third come the Gamma waves, which are even more rapid than the Beta waves. But they are less commonly detected, and no one has yet established with which of the brain's activities they are linked.

They seem, however, like the other two, to be associated with some degree of rest in the brain.

These three waves are found normally in the brains of perfectly healthy people. But there is a fourth class of waves, the Delta waves, which do not denote health. The Delta waves vary in rhythm from about 6 to 30 or 40 beats a second. They originate from some diseased part of the brain, a tumour or an abscess. They appear also in cases of epilepsy.

### Measuring Them

How are the "brain-waves" measured? The encephalograph, "the brain-writer," is simple enough in idea. It consists of two electrodes—metal plates, sensitive to an electric discharge—which are placed against the skull to pick up the tiny discharges of the brain cells. These electrodes are connected with an amplifier, which magnifies the discharges until they are large enough to perceive, and can be recorded as wavy lines on a strip of paper, mounted on a slowly revolving cylinder, like a barograph used for recording the pressure of the atmosphere.

Apart from their potential services in the problem of epilepsy, the Delta waves which come from tumours or abscesses have already been put to good use.

### Brain Surgery

Brain surgery is one of the marvels of the twentieth century. It is now possible for a surgeon to remove tumours or to drain abscesses which inevitably a few decades ago would have led to a painful death. But there was this trouble. To operate successfully you must know just where to look for the seat of the disease. You should, if you can, avoid the extra risk of an exploratory operation to find it. That is where the Delta waves come in.

The surgeon uses more than one pair of electrodes at the same time. He places the metal plates at different parts of the skull. He measures the strength of the electrical current contained in the Delta waves as it reaches the several parts of the skull. Where it is weaker, he concludes that the part is further from the seat of the trouble. Where it is stronger, he concludes that it is nearer.

By this means it is now possible, with pretty fair accuracy, to locate the tumour or whatever it may be, from which the waves are proceeding, so that the surgeon can go straight to the place which matters.

### Results to Date

The same principle applies, in a way, to epilepsy. There have been two great difficulties in the way of the successful study of epilepsy. One is to distinguish real epilepsy from purely hysterical epilepsy, or sheer malingering. The other has



Efforts by Britain to surround Germany with a ring of steel recently became successful as Turkey entered the British bloc. Turkey holds important key point in the Dardanelles. Above is one of the huge planes built in England recently for the Turkish government, shown in Istanbul.

## Human Targets Used For Bomb Tests

HUMAN bomb targets are to be used by the Home Office soon to ascertain the precise effect of high explosives dropped near air raid shelters.

Full details were revealed recently of remarkable experiments carried out recently by a committee of experts, using

500lb. high-explosive bombs at Shoeburyness, Essex. Goats, rats and scientists were used in the experiments, which have proved that bombs and air raiding were not nearly so disastrous as many people think.

The GOATS were tethered within 20 or 30 yards of the bombs, and were found a few minutes later grazing peacefully. The RATS, with the exception of one blown to pieces by a bomb splinter, were completely unaffected. The SCIENTISTS were quite comfortable, behind bomb-proof barricades.

Experts who had talked knowingly about concussion and shock effect from bombs were confounded, and the experiments were so conclusive that similar tests are to be carried out with human beings in Anderson "tin-hut" shelters.

A committee composed of some of the highest scientific lights of the country has been formed to find out just what is likely to happen under air raid conditions.

It is to be known as the Civil Defence Research Committee, and consists of:

Dr. E. V. Appleton (chairman), secretary of the Department of Scientific and Industrial Research; Prof. J. F. Baker, of Bristol University; Prof. J. D. Bernal, of Birkbeck College; Dr. C. G. Darwin, director of the National Physical Laboratory; Prof. A. J. S. Pippard, of the Imperial College, London University; Prof. R. V. Southwell, of Oxford University; Prof. G. I. Taylor, Yarrow Research Professor of the Royal Society at Cambridge; and Prof. W. N. Thomas, University College, Cardiff.

All are in their early fifties, or younger, two being under 40. Dr. Appleton, discoverer of the "Appleton Layer" in the upper atmosphere, is one of the world's greatest radio experts. He is 46.

Professor Bernal, 38, was engaged on work in connection with the design of the ill-fated R101. Professor Bernal, 38, was recently reported to have said that the air menace could be got rid of in two years if £250,000 were spent in co-operation with other countries on scientific research into defence.

DARWIN'S GRANDSON Professor Darwin is a grandson of Darwin, the great naturalist. Professor Pippard, 48, has since the war carried out structural work for a number of aeroplane firms.

Professor Southwell, 50, was a member of the recent conference on air raid shelters, which resulted in a Government White Paper. Professor Taylor, 53, was engaged on experimental aerodynamic and meteorological work during the war.

So great is the scope of their work that they will call upon the universities to supply them with additional laboratory space to carry on their experiments.

Government research stations and bombing ranges, carefully shielded from foreign agents, will be used for the full-scale tests with bombs.

Some idea of the scope of the work can be obtained from the fact that camouflage, street decontamination, damage to drains, factory lighting in wartime and investigations into earth shock waves form only the bare skeleton of their programme.

### Eight-in-One Fire Axe

Cleveland, O. Fireman Roy E. Benton, caught on the ice-covered roof of a burning building several years ago, did some fast thinking. Result: A fireman's axe which combines eight tools—axe, pick, ripper blade, spreader, spanner wrench, two other wrenches and a claw.

## EMPIRE NEWS

### EXPERIENCE FOR TEACHERS

Sydney. Mr. S. B. Mallin, former president of the Headquarters' Conference of Great Britain, is at present visiting Australia to inquire into the possibility of improving the opportunities for Dominion teachers to gain experience in England and for English teachers to do the same in the Dominions.

He says that the present system of exchange has many shortcomings. Only 35 teachers in England would like short-service work in the Dominions, while South Africa and Australia both have 150 teachers willing to work in England. Exchange consequently would limit the number of teachers to 35.

Mr. Mallin says that what he is endeavouring to do is to get the headmasters of England to decide either to keep a post on their staff for a Dominion man as a supernumerary to their staff. Fifteen headmasters in England have agreed to his suggestion.

Federal Deficit.—The Federal Government will probably announce its first deficit for seven years when the financial year closes on June 30. The principal factor governing Federal finances at the moment is the rate of defence expenditure, and this is still unpredictable. It has already been indicated that the Budget will be revised to charge a greater portion of this year's defence expenditure to revenue and to charge some civil works to loan.

### NEW ZEALAND

#### PACIFIC DEFENCE TALKS OPEN

Wellington. The Pacific Defence Conference was opened recently by Viscount Galway, Governor-General of New Zealand.

Mr. Savage, the New Zealand Prime Minister, was elected chairman, and Mr. Fraser, Minister of Education, was elected vice-chairman.

The conference is expected to last a week. The proceedings will be private, special precautions being taken to ensure secrecy.

Great Britain is represented by Sir Harry Batterbee, High Commissioner for the United Kingdom in New Zealand; Sir Harry Luke, High Commissioner for the Western Pacific, and representatives of the Navy, Army and Air Force.

### SOUTHERN RHODESIA

#### MEMORIAL TO KING OF THE MATABELE

Salisbury. A proposal has been made to erect a memorial to Mziligazi, founder of the Matabele power in Rhodesia. At the annual meeting of the Pioneers and Early Settlers Society it was decided to subscribe £20 towards this object.

Mziligazi, first King of the Matabele, brought his nation to Rhodesia in 1836. He was the father of Lobengula, the second and last king.

### EAST AFRICA

#### 10,000 PROTEST AT LAND ORDER

MOMBASA. Ten thousand Indians, Arabs and natives, at a mass meeting here recently, passed a resolution protesting against the British Government's Order-in-Council reserving the Highlands for settlement by Europeans.

The meeting, which was orderly throughout, was addressed in six languages.

## Banned Play Made Fortune

EDGAR MIDDLETON, author of "Potiphar's Wife," one of the most controversial plays of recent years, died in a London nursing home recently. He was aged forty-four.

Middleton was an actor, soldier and journalist before he turned dramatist. "Potiphar's Wife," produced in 1927, won him his first big success. The play was a modern paraphrase of the old Biblical story. Critics described it as crude, repellent and vulgar. One or two provincial towns banned performances by touring companies.

In London it ran for months and brought Middleton a lot of money. He lost it all in his next play, "Tin Gods," which was a failure.

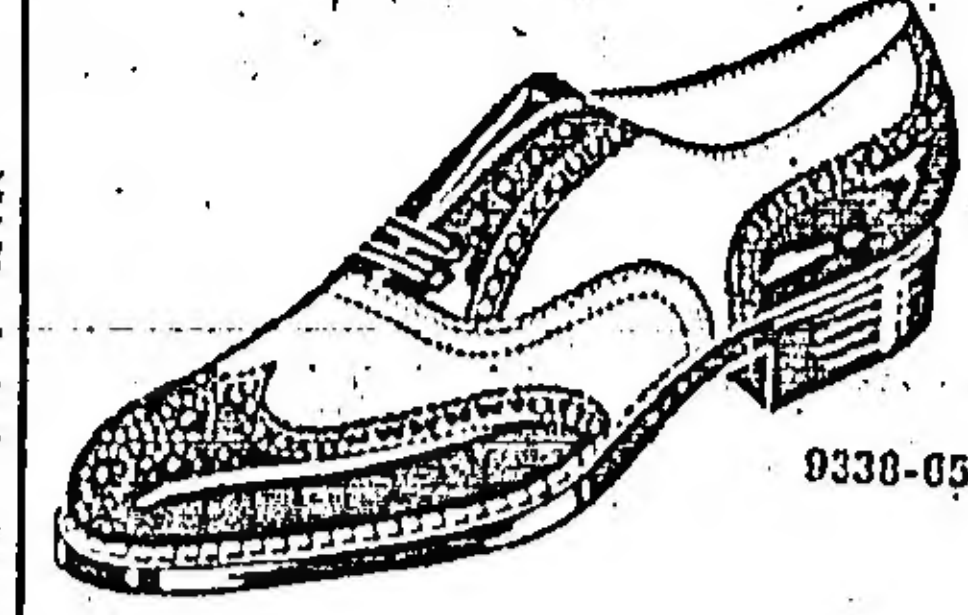
One of his books was an autobiography called "I might Have Been a Success." Another was a biography of Lord Beaverbrook.

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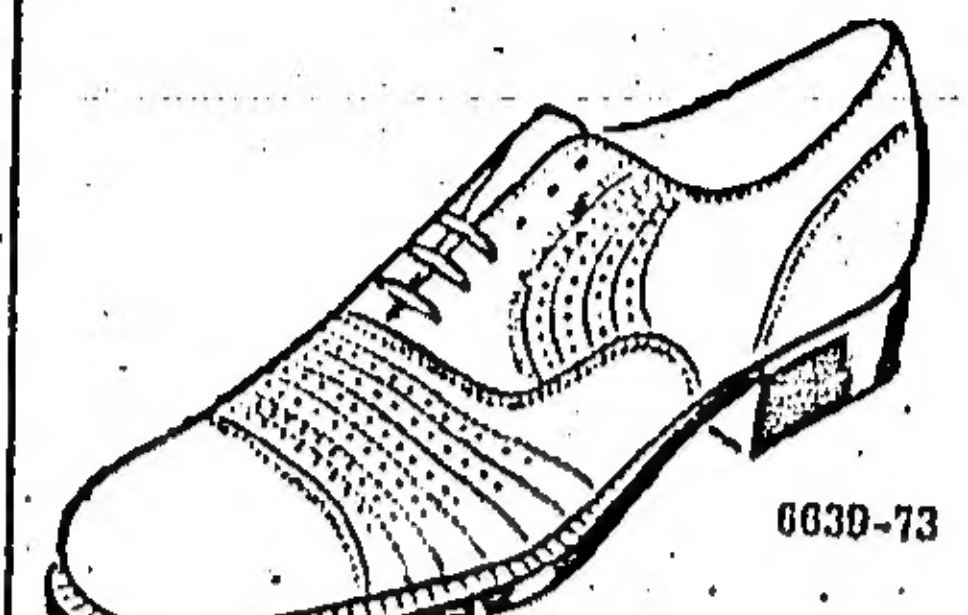
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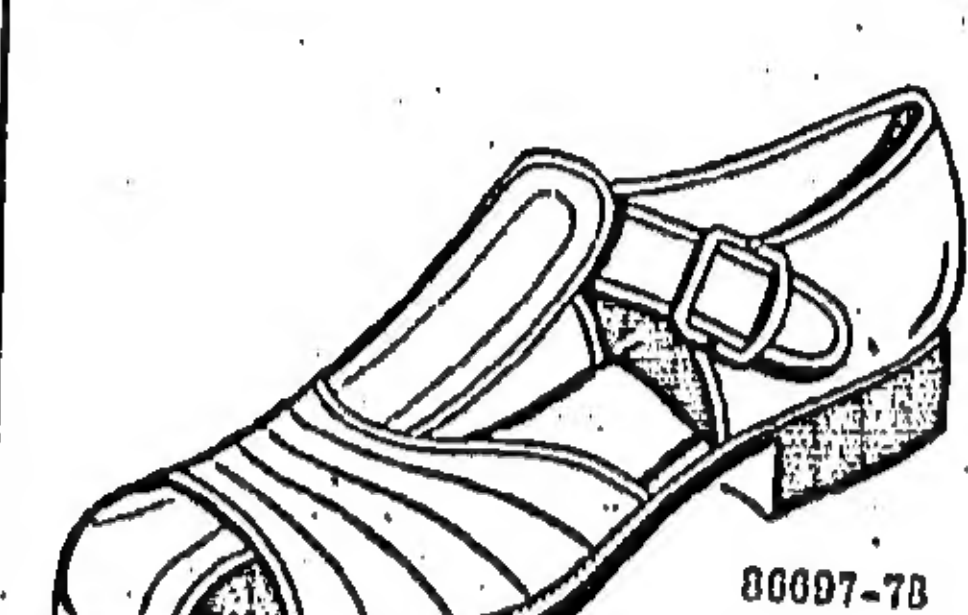
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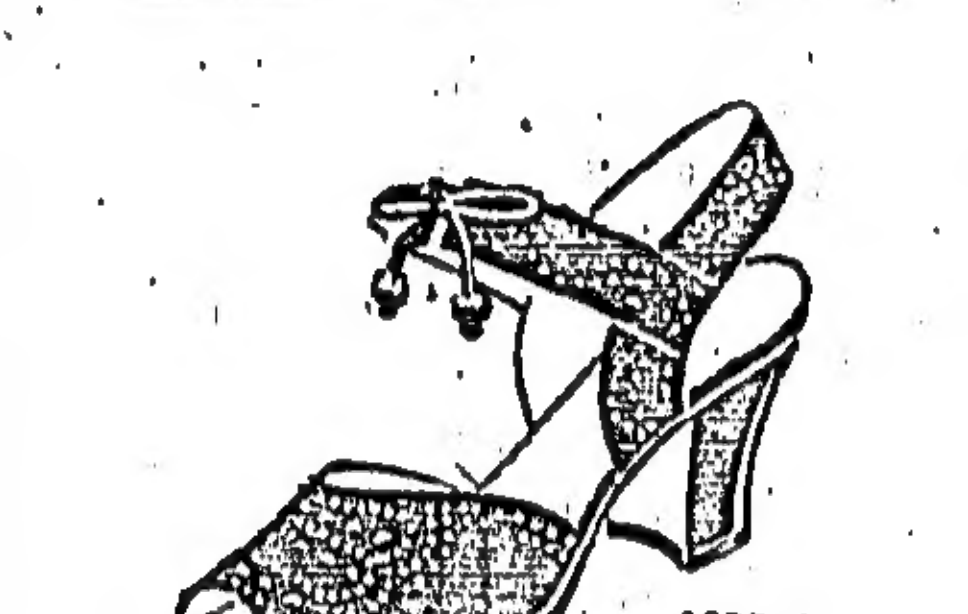
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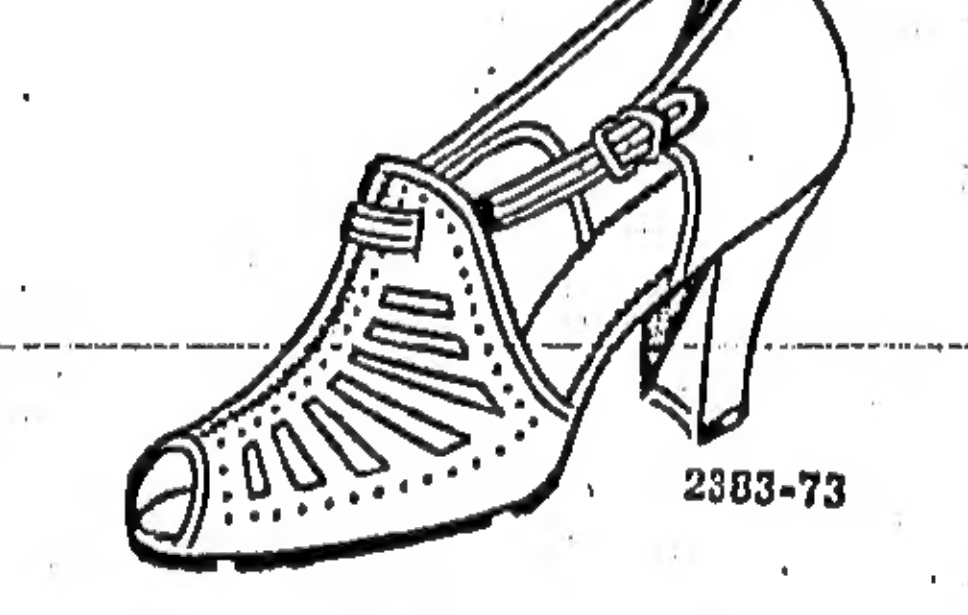
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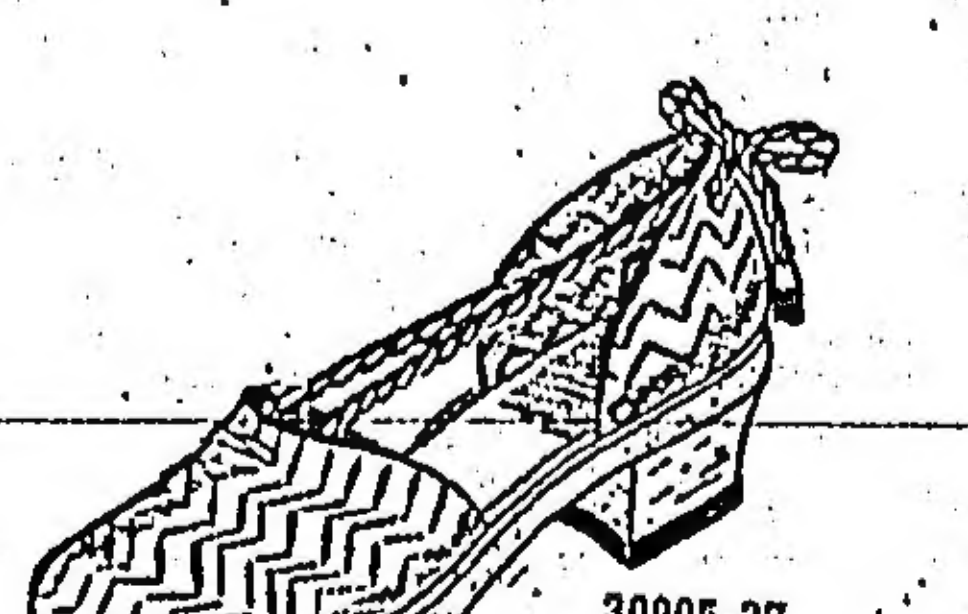
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# German General Says Hitler Would Lose War WEAKER THAN IN '14

BERLIN. LIEUT.-GENERAL HORST VON METZSCH, leading German military authority, has caused a sensation in military circles by his "treatise on military politics" recently published, in which he says Germany could not yet win a war.

He says that Germany's only hope of winning would lie in a short "lightning" war, but declares there is little possibility of a war in Europe being a short one.

He adds: "War is always a jump into the dark. It is not possible to do anything more than reckon up probabilities."

"If Germany's armed forces cannot bring about a quick decision by a knock-out blow Germany will lose any war. We can see our salvation only in having the stronger striking force, never in the longer breath."

"We must, therefore, not give the world another chance to make us expend our punching force without reaching a decision, and then succumb to a superior military-economic power of endurance."

## "SUFFOCATING"

"A short war must be aimed at, but it is naturally uncertain. It would, however, be just as irresponsible to deny the German hopes of a war period of a bearable length, as it would be to consider a short period of war as certain. But nothing must be left undone in order to protect Germany from the suffocating long war."

A few pages later General von Metzsch says that it is the aim of Germany's military policy to oppose the "hopeless economic war" with "superior force." He says: "As soon as maritime Powers participate in a war, a long war must be reckoned with. Naval wars are always long."

General von Metzsch states that Germany to-day, as far as the strength of her army goes, is far behind the standard of 1914, because general conscription has been in force only four years now. He adds: "It will be about twenty-five years before the striking force of the army can reach its peak."

He preaches the totalitarian war with no consideration for methods of humanisation, except those dictated by military efficacy.

He rejects the theory that a future war will be won in the air, and claims that the infantry as in the past will have the main work.

A warning is given against the unrestricted use of the air weapon for bombing civilian populations.

General von Metzsch says: "The spiritual resistance of the population against bomb attacks is astonishingly great." Concerning A.R.P., he writes: "The civil air defence will have done its duty if bomb attacks meet brave and disciplined people who know how to avoid panic, worst of all enemies of resistance."

## SPIRIT WINS

He says that war "reveals all bluff and self-delusion" and insists that the "spirit and soul of a nation" is in the long run more important than weapons and mechanism.

The next war, he declares, will be won by the nation with the strongest nerves and character.

He calls on Germany to "be prepared" in farming, saying: "It is necessary that agriculture in peace time should be so regulated that it can be carried on during war. War can break out suddenly; crops cannot ripen suddenly, but only slowly."

General von Metzsch also warns against the "attack without warning," saying: "The edict of a brutal breach of peace without the observation of the usual formalities can lead only to a worsening of the war situation."

Resignedly, he says: "There is only one success in war—that is victory."

## Wood Right Wu Aright

HAVING wooed Miss Right Wu Aright, Leong Ah Yow married her recently at Northampton Register Office.

His wooing of Miss Right—Right Wing Wu is her full name—was accomplished by letters that passed over the 6,500 miles between Northampton and Singapore.

Mr. Leong Ah Yow is a Northampton laundry proprietor. His bride's father is a Far Eastern silk merchant. The bridegroom met Miss Right four years ago during a business journey to the East, and fell in love. After his return he became one of the Empire Air Mail's most enthusiastic supporters.

## Mechanical "Masher"

ALAMEDA, Cal.

The latest streamlined masher technique for picking up girls is, rather, was—a loud speaker installed by two 18-year-old youths in their automobile and which greeted all passing girls with a blaring of "Hey, toots! Want a ride?" The police changed the tense of the verb from "is" to "was".



Adolf Hitler, one of the most famous men in German history, who recently celebrated his 50th birthday.

## More And Better Air Liners

Fleet Street. Sir Kingsley Wood, when he spoke recently at the Air Registration Board's second anniversary luncheon, turned from military aviation, which, as he said, had to be the main pre-occupation of the Air Ministry now, to urge the necessity for increasing the number of British air liners. There were now, he said, some 30,000 miles of British commercial air routes. He hoped that in the near future it might be possible to organise routes covering many more thousands of miles for the use of British planes.

The working out of new Empire routes had reached an important stage, and it should be possible to look forward to a new era in civil aviation. It was essential to expand our building programmes for civil aircraft if we were to secure an adequate share in the development of the vital communications upon which the Empire largely depended.

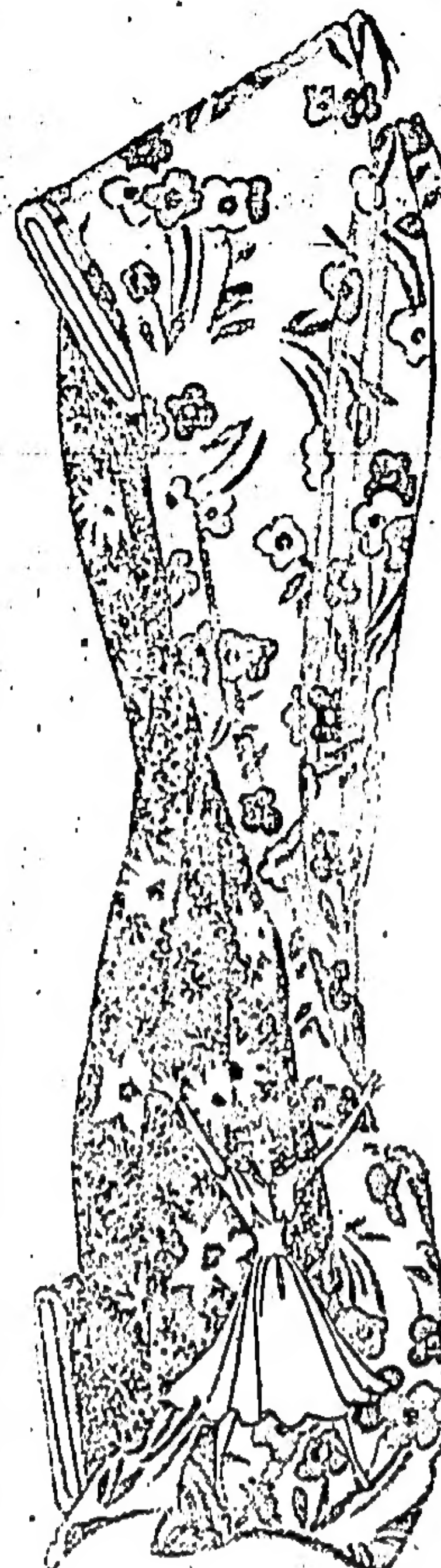
The most immediate part of the whole general problem was the development of British civil air liners, which in merit, reliability, and performance could compete with the

best produced in other countries. British liners were needed which could not only be used by our own operating companies, but—even more important—could also be sold in the markets of the world. He thought that something might soon be done about this, particularly with regard to the proposed merger between Imperial Airways and British Airways, which he hoped soon to bring before Parliament. About the Air Registration Board itself, Sir Kingsley said that the delegation of functions (from the Air Ministry to the board), as contained in the statutory order, was now almost complete.

Sir Maurice Denny, the chairman of the board, said that he and his colleagues might soon reopen with the Ministry the question of the design of large aircraft. The present division of responsibility was very bad. In the two years since the board was formed—to take over control of civil aviation from the Ministry—civil aviation had expanded normally. The board's work had been twice as much as had been expected—so putting a great strain on its finances.

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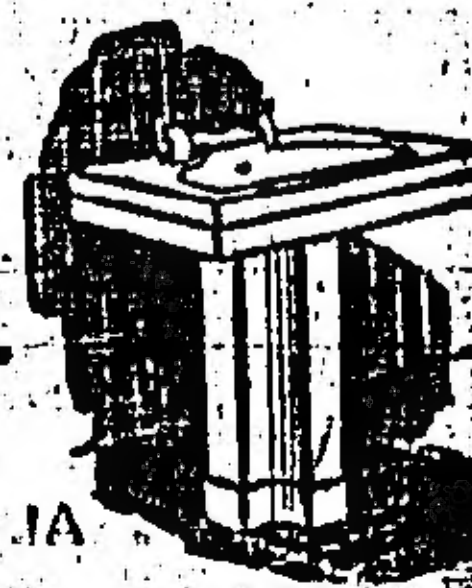
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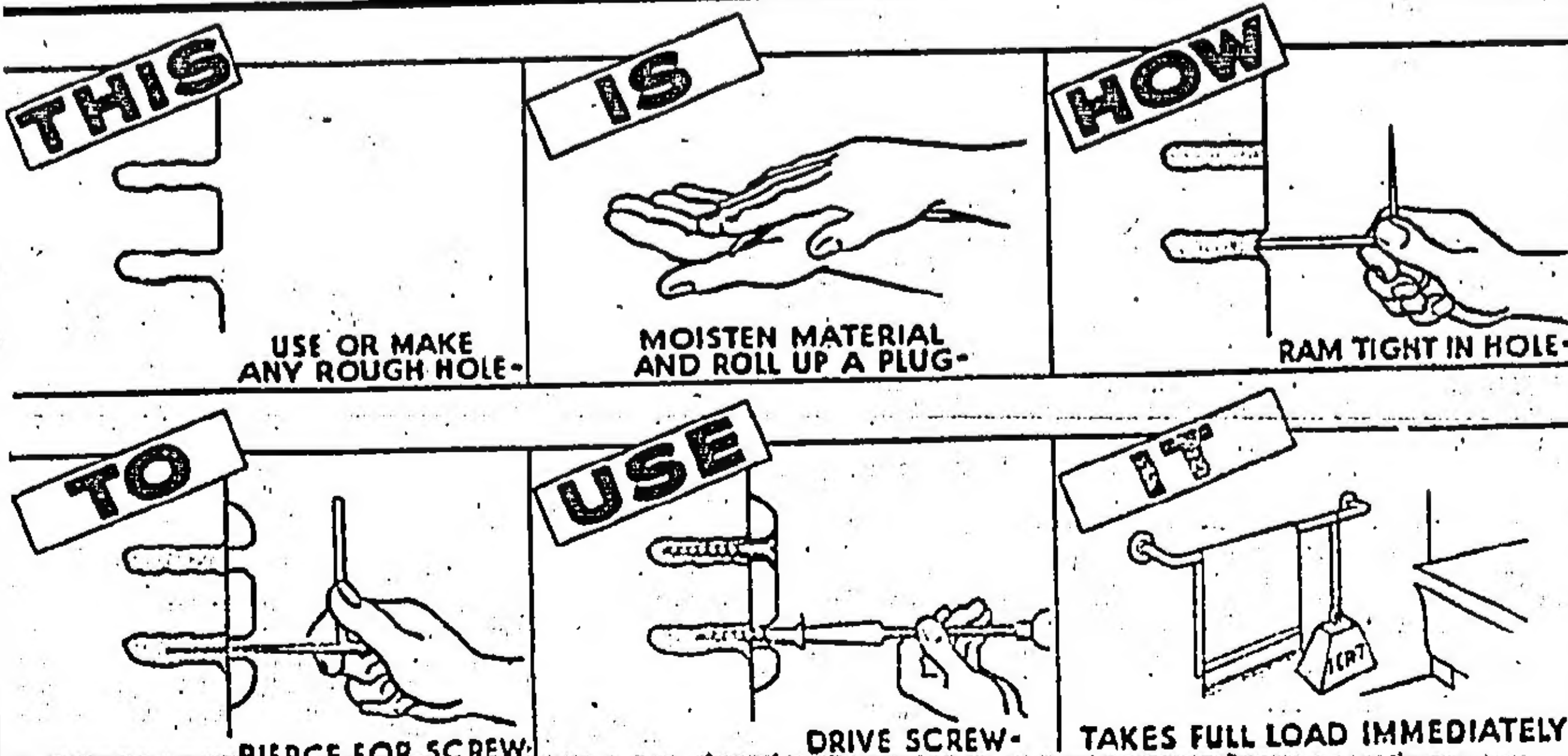
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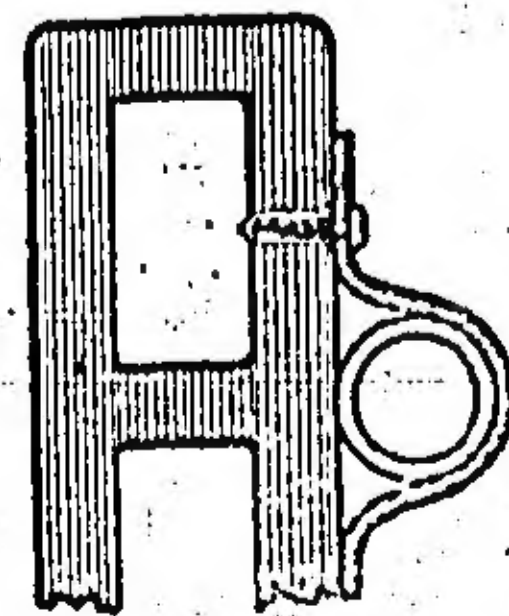
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## STOCK MARKET REPORT

Hongkong Stock Exchange weekly report issued yesterday says: Throughout the week under review the market was steady to firm ending with the demand, still partially unsatisfied.

Prices in most cases showed an advance on last week's quotations which resulted in a fairly large turnover.

Holders are still reluctant to trade in any volume at present levels and buyers are evincing more inclination to advance their bids. Closing tone is firm.

**Business Done During The Week**  
H.K. Bank \$1,360, \$1,365, \$1,362½, \$1,370  
Union Ins. \$435  
Wharves \$107, \$108  
Docks \$10, \$17.00, \$18  
Providents \$455  
H.K. Lands \$5.80  
Tramways \$16.60  
China Lights (old) \$8.60, \$8.55, \$8.60  
China Lights (new) \$5½  
Electricity \$5  
Telephones (old) \$23.05  
Cements \$12.95, \$13.10  
Dairy Farms—Rts. \$15½  
Changes—4 p.m. (Closing quotations).

### Buyers

Canton Ins. \$222½  
Union Ins. \$435  
H.K. Fires Ins. \$180  
H.K. Wharves \$107  
H.K. Docks \$17.00  
Providents \$455  
H.K. and S. Hotels \$5.65  
H.K. Lands \$5.80  
Watsons \$7.80  
Humphreys \$7.90  
H.K. Realities \$4.45  
H.K. Tramways \$16.55  
Star Ferries \$6½  
China Lights (old) \$8½  
China Lights (new) \$5½  
H.K. Electric \$55½  
Sandakan Lights \$11.00  
Telephones (old) \$23.00

### CONVITE.

A Colonia Portuguesa e por esta cordialmente convidada para uma manifestacao no Club Lusitano na Terca-feira, 30 do corrente, pelas 17.30 horas, ao Sr. Consul de Portugal, Exmo. Sr. Dr. Alvaro Brilhante Laborinho em virtude da sua transference para Johannesburgo.

Hongkong, 27 de Maio de 1939.

## U.S. COMMODITY PRICES

### LATEST CABLED QUOTATIONS

	New York, May 26.
July	8.90/82
Oct.	8.16/17
Dec.	7.83/83
Jan.	7.83/83
Mar.	7.80/80
May	7.84/84
Spot	9.82 N

	New York, Rubber
May	16.33b/30a
July	16.41b/45a
Sept.	16.48 /50
Dec.	16.52 /52
Mar.	16.52 /52

Total Sales for the day—910 tons

### Chicago Wheat

	70% /70½	78% /78½
July	77 /70½	78½ /79
Sept.	77 /70½	78½ /79
Dec.	77 /70½	78½ /79

### Thursday's Sales—

	26,163,000 bushels
Chicago Corn	51% /51½
Sept.	52% /52½
Dec.	53% /53½

### Winnipeg Wheat

	65 /65	66% /66½
July	65% /65½	66% /66½
Oct.	66% /66½	67% /67½

### Telephones (new) \$7.65

Canton Ices \$1  
Cements \$12.95  
H.K. Ropes \$3.70  
Dairy Farms, ex. rts. \$21½  
Wing On H.K. \$41  
Constructions \$1.35  
Govt. 4% Loan 4½ p.m.  
Govt. 3½% par

### Sellers

H.K. Bank \$1,405  
Canton Ins. \$230  
H.K. Steamboats \$16  
H.K. Wharves \$109  
Providents \$485  
H.K. Electric \$56  
Dairy Farms, ex. rts. \$22

### Sales

H.K. Bank \$1,400  
H.K. Wharves \$107  
Providents \$485  
H.K. Lands \$5.80  
H.K. Tramways \$16.60  
H. K. Electric \$55½  
Dairy Farms, ex. rts. \$22  
Dairy Farms Rts. \$8  
Vibro Piling \$8½

## TOMB FOR 26 MEN

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being towed here from Brooklyn Navy Yard. It is indicated that a combination of these two operations will be tried. The pontoons are cylinders 13 feet in diameter and 39 feet long, each with a lifting capacity of 80 tons when filled with compressed air. These were used successfully in raising the sunken submarine S4. Captain Amsden explained "The expulsion of the water from the flooded chambers must be done slowly, as a quick rise might result in the loss of the ship."

### Salvage Commences

Portsmouth, May 26. Salvage operations were commenced on the sunken submarine Squalus today.

A radio message from the Falcon said "A diver is going down to attach a permanent descending line to the gun on the vessel's deck."

This will be used for divers descending to clear the Squalus' deck of wireless antennae and other gear which might hinder operations. Meanwhile the Navy Yard hospital has released all the survivors, with the exception of Lieutenant J. C. Nichols, Charles Powell and Charles Kunev, who are suffering from slight bronchial infections.

The commander of the dockyard has revealed that all the surviving crewmen have received strict orders not to discuss the disaster with anyone.

In his report, Lieutenant Commander Maguin said that unless there was electrical trouble it would have been impossible for the valve to have remained open when the signal on the control board showed it closed.

Seamen here are organising collections and attempting to assuage the grief of the families of the 26 dead.

### Squalus Sabotage?

NEW YORK, May 26.—Reports that the Squalus was sabotaged followed the New York "Daily News" headline: "Men At Valve Hint Sabotage."

The report is based on an interview with one of the crew, who said the lights on the control board showed all valves closed.

"I couldn't understand what had happened," he is reported to have said.

The "Daily News" claims that the Navy Department deleted Prien's remarks regarding sabotage.

However, the "United Press" correspondent, who interviewed Prien for all the pressmen, said this story is inaccurate and that no mention of sabotage had been made.

The Acting-Commander of the Navy Yard at Portsmouth, Captain William Amsden, said: "Despite certain statements in the press, there is no evidence at this time to substantiate the rumour of carelessness or sabotage."

### MEDICINES OF CATHAY

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and are said to possess certain distinctive qualities, such as heat, cold, moisture, dryness, and wind.

Diseases are regarded as partaking of these qualities, either in their own nature or in the cause of them. Medicines are thought to have qualities—suited for different—conditions and are classified accordingly.

The object of the Chinese physician is first to determine the class of disease, and he is then able to prescribe the kind of medicinal substances with which he is acquainted appropriate remedies for its cure.

In order to help him in his diagnosis of disease, the Chinese practitioner of medicine is a master of pulse study, and is able to distinguish as many as 24 different types of pulse, one of which must have some connection with the disease which he intends to treat.

The greatest consideration is paid to the selection of the various drugs—adapting their various properties, such as heating or exciting, cooling or dispersing, moistening or drying—to the character of the disease.

The Chinese man-in-the-street is very appreciative of the scrupulous care paid in the selection of drugs, and he would perhaps be interested if he knew that many of the medicines which his forefathers have used for unnumbered generations are now being compounded in western countries into pharmaceutical preparations which are sold the world over.

Some of these medicines have won a place in western dispensaries, such as tung-kwai (Aralia nudicaulis) and tai-wong (rhubarb).

Chinese medicines occupy an important position in the nation's total export trade, amounting in 1938 to nearly \$10,000,000.

Since the beginning of the war, Chinese medicine and the Chinese doctor have leapt into prominence, largely because foreign drugs are unobtainable, but also because the Chinese people are beginning to appreciate the fact that their ancient system of medical treatment contains much that is highly valued in other lands.

Native drugs are being extensively used in Chinese hospitals for the treatment of the wounded, and their usefulness is further demonstrated by the wide demand in guerrilla units, refugee camps, and homes for war orphans.

Modern Chinese medical men are now turning their attention to the wealth of material afforded in the copious pharmacopoeia of their country, and their discoveries will be of tremendous importance in placing proved remedies at the disposal of the sick and ailing of the whole world.

LONDON, May 26.—Acting in the absence of King George, the Royal Commission to-day gave Royal assent to the Copyright Bill which thereby becomes law.—United Press.

## ROYAL TOUR EXCEEDS ALL EXPECTATIONS

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and mingled with the crowds instead of merely standing at the door of the royal coach, as had been arranged.

### Waves To Crowds

Their Majesties' action in appearing on the observation platform at the back of the train whenever it passes the smallest station is widely commented on as showing truly royal courtesy.

At the King's express command, an electric buzzer has been fitted on the engine which the engine driver has been instructed to sound whenever a crowd of any size is seen on the line.

On hearing the buzzer, the King and Queen immediately go to the nearest window and wave to the spectators.

The King's easy manner and avoidance of formalities were never so successful as during a reception to scores of journalists—American, Canadian and British—who are following the royal tour, and there is every ground to believe that their Majesties' welcome will almost be as veridical in the United States as in the dominion.

On all public appearances, the King has been notably supported by the Queen, whose charming demeanour and obvious interest has made her a close second favourite to the King.

### Arrival At Medicine Hat

Travelling all night through the Canadian prairie lands, their Majesties arrived at Medicine Hat to-day and were given a great welcome by the ranchers and farmers, who had come in from the surrounding country to greet them.

At Calgary, 2,000 Indians encamped in wigwags with their squaws, were among the most enthusiastic of the 200,000 people who welcomed their Majesties to the "wild and woolly west" to-day.

The visit marks the end of the first long section of the royal trans-Canadian tour, and to-morrow their Majesties will spend their first day of complete rest at the Banff National Park in the Rocky Mountains.

The royal train left Medicine Hat for Calgary, which is the last of the "frontier cities" near the foot of the Rockies at 5.31 p.m. B.S.T. Throughout last night cowboys and cowgirls paraded the brilliantly illuminated streets, turning Calgary into a carnival city.

Along selling "Ten Gallon" hats, beloved by cowboys, has a whole window devoted to tartan ties in honour of the Queen, and they are selling rapidly.

### "Straight Shooter"

Advance opinion of their Majesties appears to be fairly represented by the remark of a tram conductor to a local reporter when he said: "I have only seen the King in pictures, but I think he is just one grand, straight shooter."

The chef at the Banff Hotel, where their Majesties will proceed to-night, has prepared a wide range of local delicacies for the royal menu, including buffalo meat and Rocky Mountain trout.—Reuter.

**\$16,258,000 IN HAND**  
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nearly \$300,000, being \$354,540.79 as against \$66,879.11.

### Military Contribution

A \$500,000 military contribution was the biggest expenditure item for April, while the Police Force cost \$29,001.54, pensions absorbed \$253,723.21, the education department \$145,110.49, the medical department \$217,181.18, and the P.W.D. demanded \$139,843.60. Most of these items revealed increases on expenditure for the corresponding period last year.

The total expenditure for April was \$72,659 less than a year ago, but for the first four months it exceeded the period in 1938 by \$1,304,560.

So far expenditure for 1939 amounts to 39 per cent. of the total estimated expenditure for the year.

**FAMED SURGEON DIES IN U.S.**  
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In the U.S. and received honorary degrees and other distinctions from American, British, Canadian and other universities and societies.

In 1915 they gave \$300,000 to establish at Rochester the Mayo Foundation for medical education and research in affiliation with Minnesota University. Later they created the Mayo Properties Association to hold all the properties, endowments and funds of the Mayo Clinic and to ensure the permanence of the institution for public service.

During the world-war Charles served as a consultant surgeon in the American Medical Dept. and was awarded the D.S.M. He was also professor of surgery to the Mayo Foundation and at the medical school of Minnesota University.

The Mayo Clinic had meanwhile become the largest hospital unit in the world. It had a staff of specialists always available for operations of any kind. In 1929 brothers went to England and gave a five-panel stained glass window to Eccles Parish Church in memory of their father, who died in 1911. It was unveiled by the Bishop of Manchester. The brothers afterwards attended the conference of the British Medical Association and were welcomed as distinguished visitors both there and at many social gatherings.—J. D. I.

Miss R. W. Wickett has been appointed an Assistant Mistress of Education Department.

Mr. W. J. Skinner has been appointed Quantity Surveyor of the Public Works Department.

The launch picnic arranged for this afternoon by St. Andrew's Club has been cancelled.

## CHARITY BALL

### Well Supported Dance At Hongkong Hotel

The Chinese women of Hongkong contributed further to charity last night when a Ball in aid of Chinese Industrial Co-operatives was held at the Hongkong Hotel, sponsored by the Hongkong Chinese Women's Soldiers' Relief Association and the Hongkong Office New Life Movement. The proceeds to the charity were considerably increased by a successful raffle held during the evening.

Prominent among the people present were Sir Shou-son Chow, General M. A. Cohen, Lady Ho Tung, Dr. Kenneth Chan, the Hon. Mr. M. K. Lo, Mr. Li Tse-ling, Mr. Peter H. Sin, Mr. Yinson Lee, Mr. George She, and Miss Daisy O'Keefe.

The cabaret turns of local talent contributed greatly to the evening's entertainment and funds for the Chinese Industrial Co-operatives were swelled considerably by a very successful raffle.

To young Misses Helen Wu and Rosita Loong, daughter of the famous film star, Violet Loong, captured the hearts of their audience with a toe dance, which in execution would have done credit to dancers of twice their years.

### Popular Request

In response to popular request, Mrs. Percy Chen again rendered an interpretation of the famous Chinese Sword Dance.

Another dance of great appeal to patrons was that of Miss Gloria Yee and Mr. Herbert Tong, and was modelled along the lines of the Rogers-Astaire technique. It was a very fine item and fully deserved the ovation it was accorded.

Miss Colleen Ng Quinn contributed to the programme with a song, "Cinderella, Stay In My Arms," and followed this with a graceful solo dance.

The second last item of the evening was oriental. Four lovely hours from Persia, the Misses Doreen Weir, Dora Chow, Elsie Wong and Elsie Law, glided on to the floor in captivating costume and swayed to the haunting music of the near East.

Misses George Chow, Teddy Yip, Herbert Tong and Tommy Lee, a harmony quartet, sang and tap danced to "I'll Never Let You Go," accompanied by Miss Doreen Ma on the piano. This was followed by a comedy number from the Gay Nineties. Both numbers were very well received.

The entertainment was arranged by Mrs. Violet Chan.

**SCHOOL FOR DEAF**  
**Governor's Interest In Inspection Tour**

His Excellency the Governor, Sir Geoffrey Northcote paid a visit to the School for the Deaf at Kowloon, yesterday.

On his arrival the Governor was met by Rev. Lee Kau-yan, Miss Li Luk-wa, and Mrs. W. K. Cheung, and then inspected several classes in session, Miss Li, headmistress, explaining the methods by which the children were taught.

The School Council was then presented to the Governor and a school uniform with a badge attached, and a table cloth made by the students were given him by one of the pupils.

Mrs. W. K. Cheung, headmistress of the Heep Yuen School, said: "The school was opened in 1935. The founders are Miss W. Griffin, Miss N. Elliott and Miss B. Pope, whose help is greatly valued in the school. Although it has but a short history it has been a bold experiment as the first institution to provide for the education of the Deaf in the Cantonese speaking area."

We are very grateful for your Excellency's coming to these modest premises, which we have rented and which we now find too small for the pupils, but we hope that after your gracious visit and interest in the school, the public will begin to realise that the education of the deaf is playing no small part in the Colony, thus they will be greatly inspired and generous to give donations to the school for a Building Fund, so that we can look for a suitable area of land for the school.

**Burden of Rent**  
In a building of our own we can plan such rooms as will meet our educational needs, and with such a building we shall be free from the anxiety of paying rents month after month, which is at present a great tax on the school finance.

I am sure that with the help of your Excellency and the friends of the school, these wishes of ours can be fulfilled.

The Governor said he was glad at the progress made by the School, and was touched by the scenes he had just seen. He requested the School to send him a letter, stating the requirements and conditions of the school. He then assured the Council that he would see that the Government would see to the rent and consider a site for the proposed new building. (Applause.)

Those present were Rev. D. Rosenthal, Lady Pollock, Miss B. M. Pope, Miss N. E. Elliott, Miss W. I. Griffin, and Miss D. Shilton.

Mr. A. Tajiri has resumed charge of the Japanese Consulate-General in Hongkong.

Mr. S. J. Swetland has been appointed Sub-Lieutenant in the Hongkong Naval Volunteer Force.

The Lauchlin Plein organised by Christ Church, Kowloon Tong for this afternoon has been cancelled.

## COLLEGE OF MUSIC

### Results of Examinations Announced

The following are the results as supplied by the Hongkong Secretary, Mr. J. E. Anderson, of the Practical Examinations of the Trinity College of Music (London) held in Hongkong on May 13 to 23, 1939. Where not otherwise stated the examinations were for pianoforte. The examiner was Dr. Alfred Mistowiaki.

**Examination for Teacher's Diploma**  
Licentiate (L.T.C.L.), practical work—Miss Bunn and Rosabel Hsu, Associate (A.T.C.L.), practical work—Dorothy J. Henderson, Maria T. Pitter and Lily Yeung.

**Higher Local Division**  
Honours—Cheung Lai-wan, Helene Pau Yu-cheng, Doreen Lucy, Dorothy C. Y. Yang.  
Pass with merit—Kathleen Dedecoglou, Fung Mul-chun, Beatrice Ip, Phyllis K. Ling, Helen Lou, Lily Tsang.

Fok Sut-han, Phyllis K. Ling (Singing), Mollie Luk, Mable Tsang, Wong Fung-seen.

**Advanced Senior Division**  
Honours—Anna Koo.  
Pass with merit—Hsi Maying, Wong Yan-tai.  
Pass—Katherine Yipp.

**Senior Division**  
Honours—Helene B. Chen, Helene B. Chen (Singing), Alice Yui (Musicianship).  
Pass with merit—Chan Yun-ye, Marion Cheng, Melba M. de Sousa, Emily Yui (Musicianship), Margaret Anne Wong, Virginia Yvanovich (Musicianship).

Pass—David Chao, Ines Soares.

**Intermediate Division**  
Honours—Maggie Cheng, Katie Chow, Joyce Leong, Lui Suk-chun, Lui Suk-ching, Sister Rachelle Pleban, Hazel Teresa Schlatter, Amy Tsang, Lily Wong, Wong Kook-ying.  
Pass with merit—Martha Lo, Maria Mackechnie, Norma Tsang, Mona Wong.  
Pass—Joy B. J. Carey, Nina Chan, Fung Lin-ye, Jean Lee.

**Junior Division**  
Honours—Mui Fook-kee, Ng Yuen-ching, Mimi Leung, Luke Sze-leung, Rosie Ting, Wai-tana Vangtal, Adell Woodward.  
Pass with merit—Jamalee el Arachi, Yvonne Blackmore, Fung Sik-mang, Hui Kit-ying, Lau Wai-ling, Gloria M. C. Litton, Ma Kin-lin, Ng Tak-ching, Sister Ada Penzo, Sun Pao-tse, Wong Shuk-yiu.

Pass—Carle Alves, Margarida de Figueiredo, Fung Hou-chung, Fung Shouk-kan, Daphne Griffith, Hilda A. Laurel, Gloria June Moss, Tam Wal-chit, Wu Lai-ying, Margaret Xavier (Violin).

**Advanced Preparatory Division**  
Honours—Hui Yin-kui, Hui Yin-kan, Hui Woon-chuen, Hui Woon-chun, Sachiko Kano, Lau Yui-yew.  
Pass with merit—Mary Horwood (Musicianship), Margaret Hume, Beatrice Kan, Lau Shiu-yan, Elizabeth Liou, Wong Man-long.

Pass—Rafaela Co (Musicianship), Nydia Laurel, A. Olivia Mak, Eleanor A. Rogers, Viola M. Rogers, Helen Chua Tiano (Musicianship), Betty Siu, May Wu.

**Preparatory Division**  
Honours—Luba Besedich, Amelia Berlandier, Cheung Po-kut, Elizabeth J. Gittins, Lo Pui-kin, Fung Fung-chun, Alison King, Sumiko Numato, Leung Pui-kan, Vera Litter, Masako Kano, Maruella Nunes, Sin Ka-chuen, Tang Kai-yuen, Elizabeth Florenco Smith, Ricka Wolf, Claire Van Wylick.  
Pass with merit—Ruby Agnes Ching, Crispina N. V. Carlos, Fung Mei-wo, Cynthia Lo, Anne C. MacKenzie, Claire Rober, an extension, Jenny Tse, James Stewart Webster, Ronald J. Wong.  
Pass—Chan Yuk-shu, Lydia de Figueiredo, Betty Lee, A. Olivia Mak (Singing), Margaret Venables.

**"First Steps" Division**  
Honours—Angela M. Court, Gloria Eng, Wendy M. Foyers, Margaret J. King, Lo Pui-kin, Phoon Suet-ching, Renee Yuen, Yvonne M. Shaw.  
Pass—Agatha Chan (Violin), Doris Horron.

**"Initial" Division**  
Honours—David Asche, Chen Yuh-hui, Johnny Choa, Esperanza Chua, Donald Chan, Laureen Cleme, Lorna Denton, Josephine Hillier, Theresa da Roza, Mario Sandberg, George Ian Shaw, Sheila Le Tissier, Wong Man Ying.  
Pass with merit—Patricia Pattinson.

**FILM ACTRESS COMING**  
**Miss Gloria Stuart on Way To Indo-China**

Gloria Stuart, the film star, and her husband, Mr. Arthur Sheekman, will arrive from Shanghai by the Aramis on June 8. They are on their way to Indo-China and Siam.

Miss Stuart is one of Hollywood's intellectuals. She took a degree in Philosophy at California University before completing an extensive education, and has appeared at an Art Theatre in plays by Tchekov and Shaw.

She played her first important screen part in "The Old Dark House," and since then has appeared in a number of films. She was last seen in Hongkong in "Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm" with Shirley Temple.

Mr. Sheekman is a scenario writer.

Mr. J. Warner Brown, a former official of the now defunct American Oriental Banking Corporation, has married Mrs. Bernice Robertson Bryant, at Kansas City, where Mr. Brown is now in the insurance business. Mr. Brown was well known in both Manila and Hongkong.—United Press.

## CLIPPER ARRIVES

### Big Passenger List From Manila

The Pan-American Airways Honolulu Clipper arrived in Hongkong yesterday morning from Manila with mails and several passengers. Among them were:

Mr. Antonio Wilson, Assistant Manager of the Plaza Lunch, Manila, who is making a short business visit to the colony.

Mrs. Moria L. Mason, wife of a prominent army officer in Manila. Mrs. Mason will spend a short holiday in Hongkong before returning to Manila.

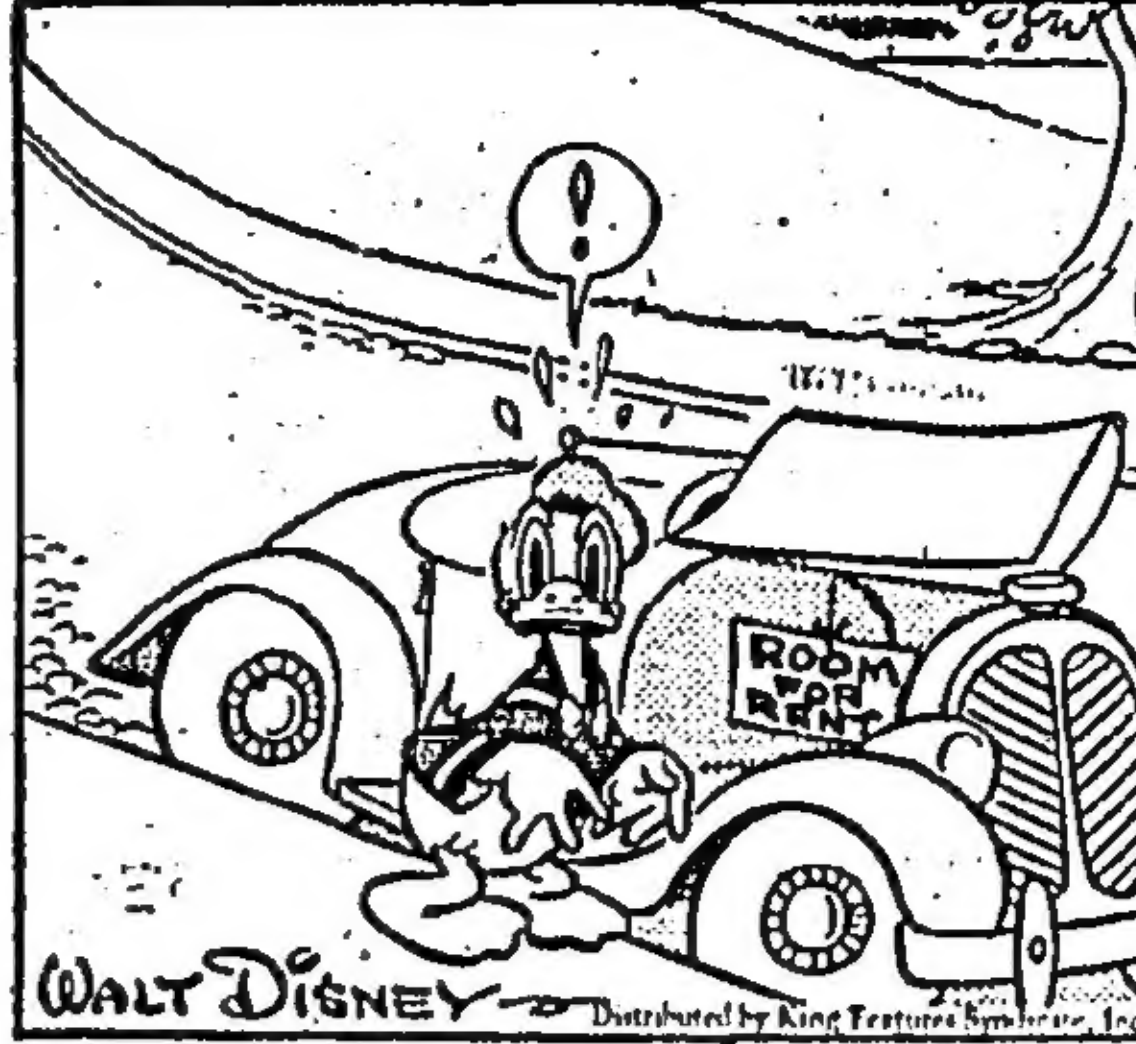
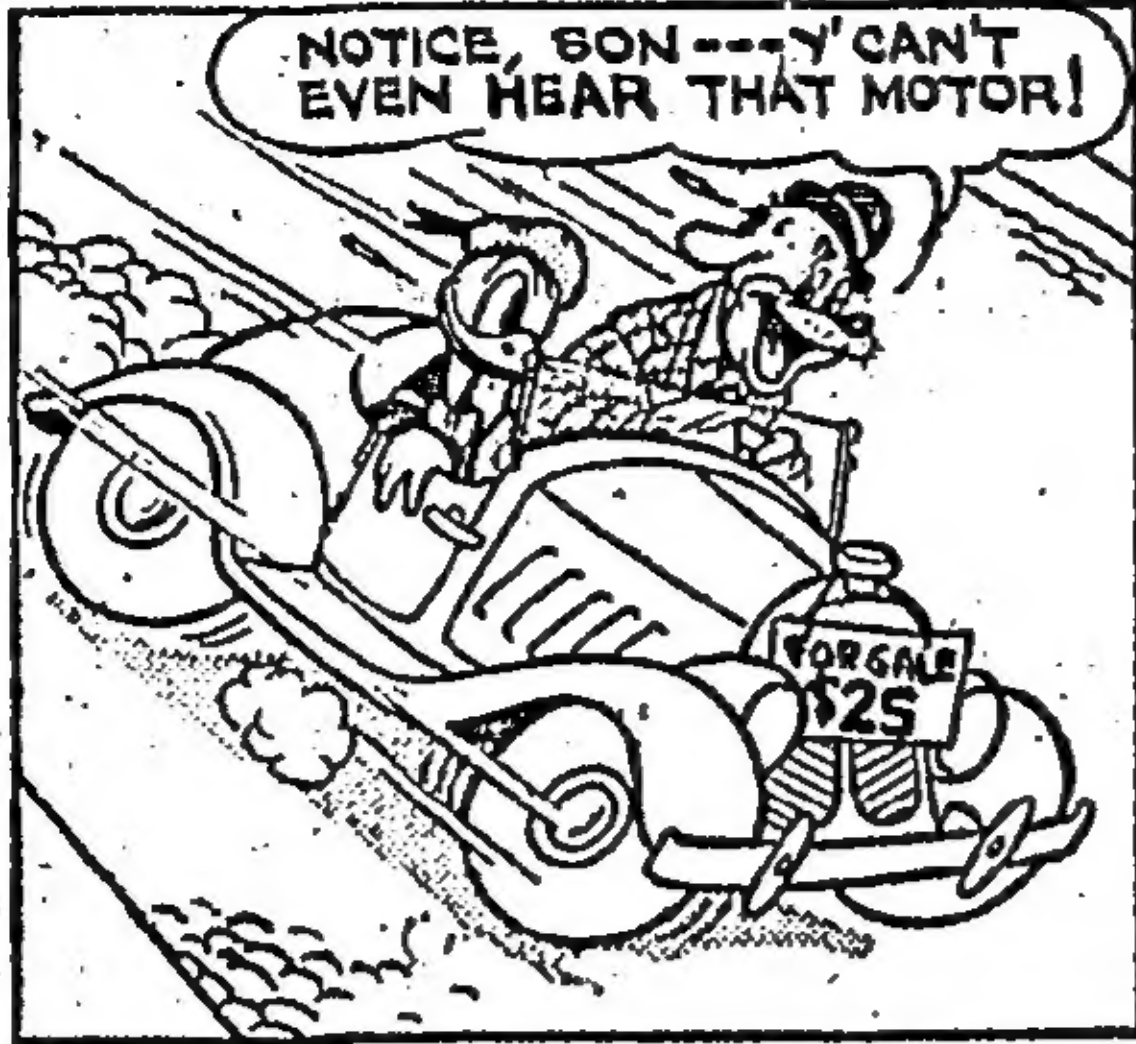
Miss Josephine Stewart, whose father is also in the U.S. army in Manila, is accompanying Mrs. Mason. Mrs. Nance Kestler, wife of the Manager of the Philippine Manufacturing Company of Manila. Mrs. Kestler is in the Colony in order to meet her husband who will shortly return from a business visit to Indo-China. On his arrival he and Mrs. Kestler will leave for Manila.

Mr. and Mrs. Niels Jensen who are making a round trip from Manila to Hongkong.

Mr. David Bone, of Smith, Bell and Co., who returned to Hongkong after a visit to the firm's office in Manila.



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## JUNGLE TRIP

## Chance Meeting Leads To Long Trek

How a chance meeting in Calcutta led to companionship during an adventurous jungle journey from Maceod, Burma, to Pitsanuloke, Siam, was related by Mr. Charles Johnson, 20-year-old American, yesterday.

Their youth concealed by soft, brown beards, Mr. Johnson and his chance companion, 24-year-old George Cadogan, a Canadian, arrived in Hongkong on Wednesday by the Aramis, which brought them from Saigon.

Mr. Johnson left home about a year ago fired solely by a spirit of adventure. He wandered about the East, particularly India, writing articles for papers in America and at present has a commission as correspondent of a paper in Spokane, Washington. In Calcutta, when funds were running low and he was in search of some new, inexpensive jaunt, he encountered Mr. Cadogan, in much the same boat.

Out of their meeting was born a plan for an inland trek in Burma and Siam. They went to Rangoon and on to Moulmein, where they took a river boat to Kyaukse. From there for a day a rattleback bus jogged them as far as Maceod, near the border of Siam. The hard work then really began.

## Dysentery Victim

With five Siamese boys and 15 pack ponies, they started out on a jungle trek which is the only avenue of commerce between the two countries at this point. A deadly banded knut, quickly killed by the bearers, provided the only adventure on the first day's march.

An attack of dysentery claimed Mr. Johnson on the second day. The Siamese rigged a litter for his conveyance and all that day they carried him steadily onward, fording

ROBBED BENEFACTOR  
Man Goes to Canton to Sell Stolen Property

Sentence of three months' hard labour was imposed on Choi Kwan, 19, unemployed, by Mr. R. A. D. Forrest at the Central Magistracy yesterday for the theft of jewellery, two sovereigns and \$118 Chinese currency, from 54, Kennedy Road between March 19 and April 10 last year.

Sgt. T. Cashman said the property was that of a woman, Leung Wai-fun. The thief had been committed while Choi was living in her house, which he had been allowed to do as he had no where to live. The jewellery, which included gold bangles, bracelets, pocket and wrist watches and jade, was either sold in Canton or pawned in Hongkong, and could not be recovered.

The articles were stolen from a box under the woman's bed. Its total value was \$1,018.

many small creeks. By next day he was well enough to ride.

The journey was arduous and interesting, but free of any further adventures until nearing its close on the fourth day when the party, coming sharply into a valley, fed by a small stream, blundered upon a herd of wild elephants before the animals had time to get their scent. The elephants trumpeted madly and could be heard crashing through the jungle, but which way they were moving could not be discerned. The ponies took fright and stampeded, Mr. Johnson being literally scraped from his mount by the thick undergrowth.

It was some time before the ponies could be caught and the caravan re-assembled. They had begun the day's trek at 2 a.m. and they were tired adventurers when they entered Pitsanuloke, Siam railroad, at the end of the day.

A train took them to Bangkok where they spent a week before making another rugged bus journey—this time to Saigon. There they joined the Aramis. Mr. Johnson is homeward bound. He will leave for Japan by the Suisan on June 3.

Anglo-Soviet Alliance  
Repercussions

Washington, May 26.

Authoritative non-official quarters said to-day they believed that the Italo-German Pact and the projected Anglo-Franco-Russian Pact will reconvert the Orient diplomatic tension area, since it will leave Russia more free to assert itself against Japan, whereas Japanese alliances are not clearly defined.

Experts believed that the Philippines, East Indies and Sarghellen might be future scenes of trouble and might conceivably figure in new incidents.

Although informed quarters understood that Britain was not committed to Russian defence in the Far East, the Pact assures Russia against unsupported European involvement. Although it is conceivable that a Japanese attack on Russia would involve Europe, experts believe it unlikely that Germany will attack Russia if the latter is involved in the Orient. Hence it becomes the logical development that Russia should reach a definite settlement with Japan as soon as possible, while relatively free in Europe.

Some believed that it is likely that France, Russia and Britain might seek an understanding with Japan on the basis of delimiting expansion, with the alternative of a Far Eastern Pact, thus it might be conceivable to jointly guarantee Dutch possessions, Siam, portions of China, possibly the independence of the Philippines and other Asiatic spheres as well.—United Press.

## JAPANESE SETTLERS

Tokyo, May 26.

The resolution recently introduced into the House of Representatives by Mr. J. Alexander calling on the American Government to investigate the extent of the settlement of Japanese in the Philippines Islands, is attributed by the Japan Times to Communist inspiration.—Domei.

## LETTERS

## Wants Pen Friends

To the Editor, Hongkong Telegraph.

Sir,—I am a Canadian girl fourteen years old. I would like to hear from boys and girls all over China, between the ages 14-16.

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## Spectre of Increased Taxes

Sir—Wage-earners in the Colony must have fairly gasped for breath when a news caption of an influential recommendation for an increase in the assessment rate to 25 per cent. stared them in the face upon leaving their office yesterday evening. Reasoned judgment will incline to the inevitability of a reasonable increase. Any exhibitant rise, however, invites criticism and opposition.

It is fair to state at the outset that the Taxation Committee in their Report have put forward three major sources of increase for consideration, and that they recommend that big additional revenue from assessed taxes "should be regarded as a last resource" for revenue raising. The higher rate is estimated to yield an extra \$3,000,000 a year.

To take the last expedient first, and as one of widest import to the community in general, it may serve some useful purpose if a widespread, though not necessarily publicly audible, discussion be entered into to concentrate on the proposal to augment the revenue by nearly 50 per cent. on the one single item of rents assessment.

At the bottom of page 13 of the Taxation Committee Report the assertion appears that "the present rate is lower than that obtaining in Shanghai or in Singapore." The present rate in Hongkong is 17 per cent. on rents. Unfortunately there is no ready means of verifying the Singapore assessment rate.

So far as Shanghai is concerned, the general municipal rate was 14 per cent.—it is one of 10 per cent. from 1st April, 1939, to 30th September, 1939, and the S. M. Council Budget for the current year provides for 18 per cent. from 1st October, 1939, until the next annual meeting of rate-payers. These rates apply to assessed rentals of buildings within the Settlement. In differentiation there is a "special" rate of 14 per cent. during the earlier period, to be increased to 16 per cent. on 1st October next, on buildings beyond Settlement limits enjoying Settlement amenities, including utility services.

What is the authority for the disputed statement that the present rate in Hongkong is lower than that obtaining in Shanghai, it will be interesting to learn. Before the Committee's vital recommendation to increase the assessment rate is implemented, no room should be left for assailable criticism. It is matter of common knowledge that Shanghai's rates were put up as a result of the serious loss in revenue through

occupation by a contending force of properties which formerly contributed to her revenue and also to a large number of vacancies. In these respects the reverse has happened in Hongkong; the Colony has been more fortunate. Its income has been substantially increased, and not reduced, by the deplorable circumstances of the past two years.

It is bad enough that, as a result of the demand for housing accommodation, there has been an upward tendency in rents since August, 1937. In spite of special legislation, since very fortunately extended, to Government's credit, landlords of a certain class are unsparing in their efforts to increase rents further. As a direct result of the increased rentals the revenue of the Colony has benefited very largely at the expense of tenants.

To group all houses in a single rateable class, subject to the enormous increase recommended, is a fallacy which should be capable of correction. It might be some comfort if, before the actual carrying out of this particular recommendation, some satisfactory classification be made between residential and business premises and, as a class by themselves, the industrial establishments also. There are good grounds for this contention when business premises are exempt from curbing legislative influences. A grasping class of landlords have not been slow to take full advantage of their freedom and in known cases have been responsible for three successive increases of rent during the past eighteen months. It may even be expedient to classify house properties according to locality, as, for instance, those enjoying all the urban amenities in exclusive suburban areas costing for their maintenance a higher expenditure to taxpayers. The equity of the proposal will be seen in the relief from the incidence of heavier taxation which will be afforded to a class sufficiently burdened with expenditure created by exceptional circumstances.

J. P. BHAGIA.

THEFTS FROM DOCKS  
Employees' Attempts To Steal Metals

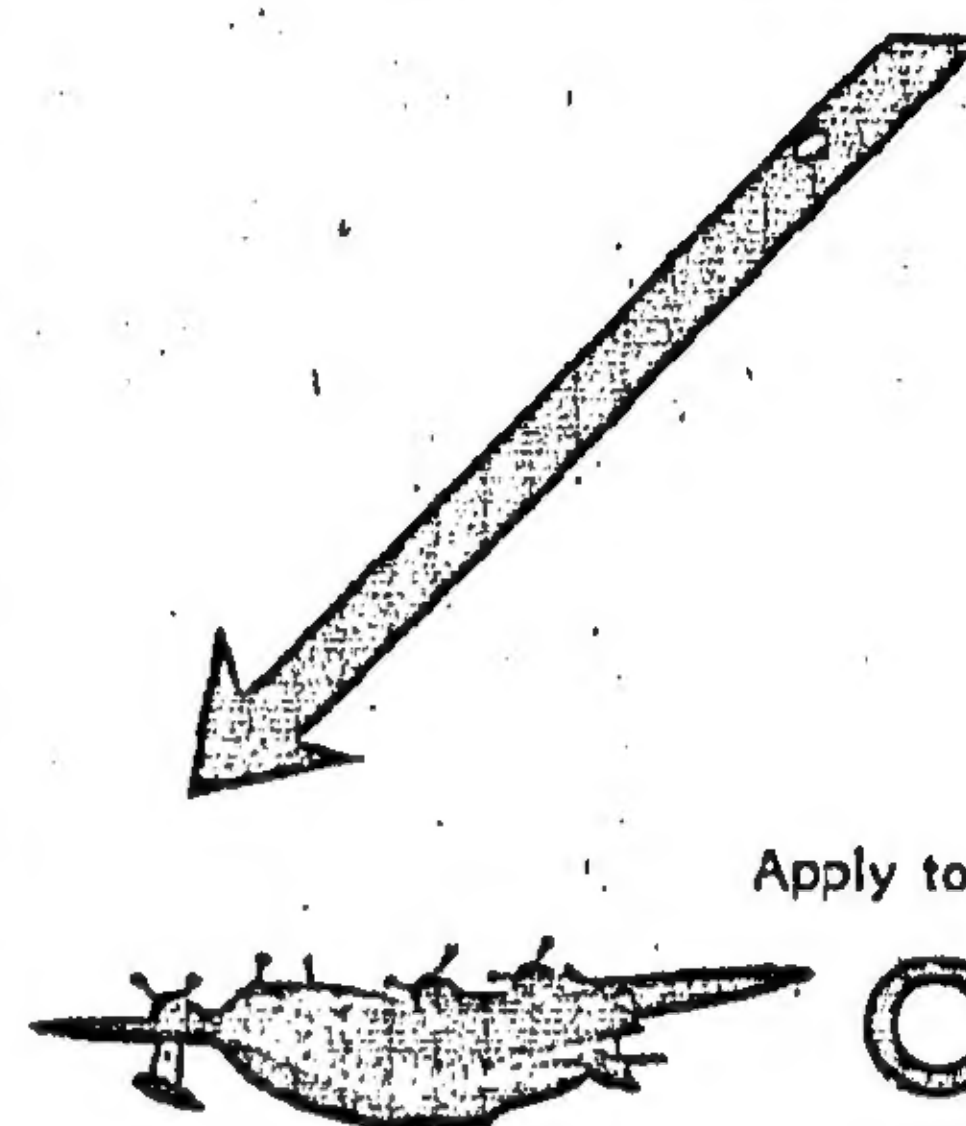
Described as a boiler maker, Fan So, 19, was fined \$10 or a month's hard labour by Mr. E. Himsforth at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday on a charge of theft of three pounds of brass, the property of the Kowloon Dock.

Sgt. Brown said that the brass was found on the defendant when he was searched prior to leaving the place on Thursday.

Also charged with theft from the Kowloon Docks, Wong Lam, 52, a watchman of the Docks, was fined \$20 or five weeks' hard labour by Mr. Himsforth.

Sgt. Brown said that the defendant's job was to keep watch on a boat being constructed. He stole some of the fittings which were to be used in its construction.

Before passing sentence Mr. Himsforth said to the defendant: "This is a more serious offence than the previous one, because you had been placed in a position of trust."

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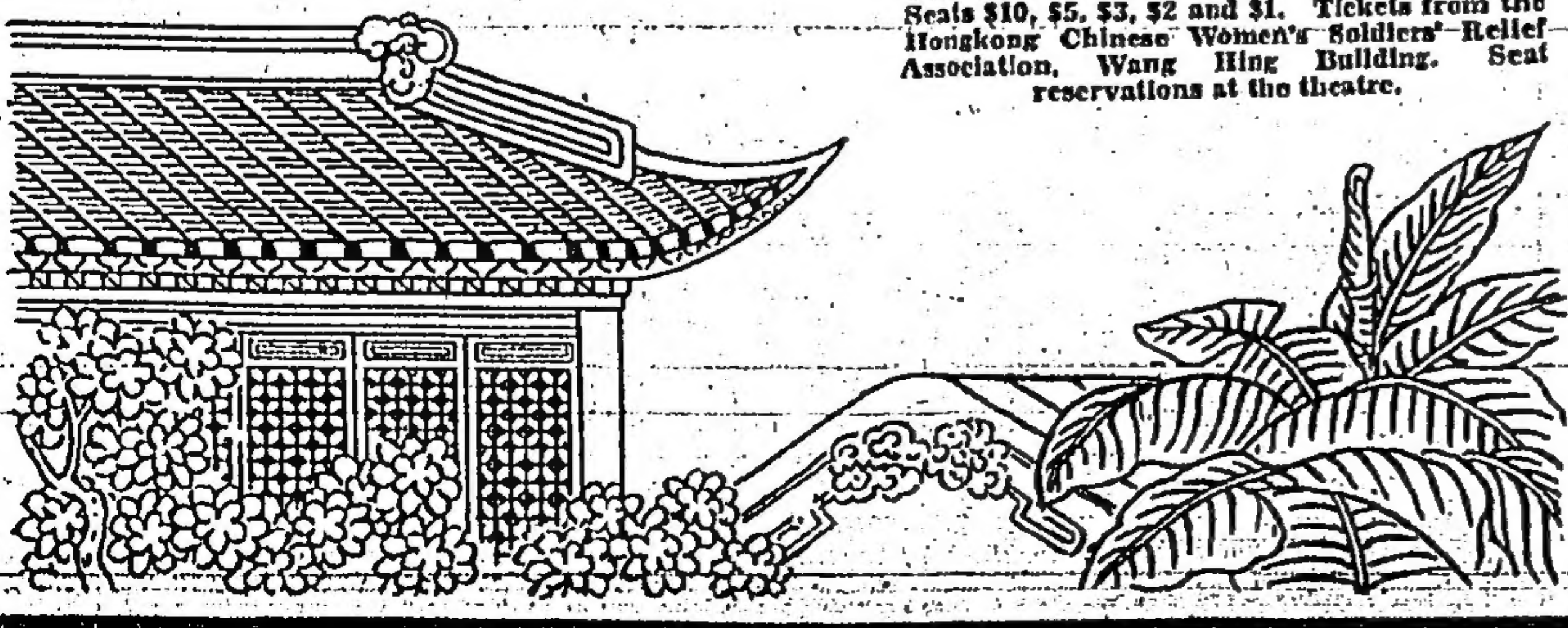
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- of the following sizes:—10x12, 10x20.
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## EMPIRE NEWS

### ANZAC DAY SERVICES IN AUSTRALIA

Sydney. Anzac Day, commemorating the first landing of Australian troops at Gallipoli on April 25, 1915, was celebrated throughout Australia with ceremonies at dawn and processions of ex-servicemen in every State capital. Some 20,000 Anzacs marched past in Sydney.

A dawn service was held at the Sydney Cenotaph at 4.30 a.m. Lord Wakehurst, the Governor of New South Wales, headed the procession to the Cenotaph and offered the Anzac benediction.

A crowd of over 1,000 ex-Servicemen demonstrated outside the German Consulate in Sydney while assembling for the march. They objected to the Nazi flag being flown at full-mast and demanded that it be taken down.

Major D. Wark, V.C., and Gen. Gordon Bennett, who also has a distinguished war record, calmed the crowd and promised that the flag would be pulled down. The caretaker, on the advice of the police, removed the flag.

Other flags in Sydney were flown at half-mast for the Anzac march.

### NEW ZEALAND

#### DAWN PARADE AT AUCKLAND

Auckland. Unusual fervour was shown by the public at the Anzac Day gatherings in New Zealand.

A dawn parade was held for the first time at Auckland. There was a remarkable demonstration by those attending.

The Governor-General, Viscount Galway, and the Prime Minister, Mr. M. J. Savage, attended the services here.

Black Watch Companies.—Recruiting for the New Zealand Scottish Regiment has revealed the keen enthusiasm of young men of Scottish parentage to enlist in the Dominion. Already over 1,000 men have joined up. The companies are not a part of the New Zealand military organization, but are directly allied with the Black Watch Regiment in Scotland. Queen Elizabeth, as Colonel-in-Chief, has given her assent to the formation of the companies in New Zealand.

### JAMAICA

#### GOVERNOR TO TOUR CAYMAN ISLANDS

Kingston. The Governor, Sir Arthur Richards, will leave shortly on his first official tour of the Cayman Islands. He will travel in the coast vessel Dundee, which arrived at Kingston yesterday.

The Cayman Islands lie about 150 miles to the north-west of Jamaica, of which they are a dependency. The islands are rather sparsely inhabited.

#### ELECTION VICTORY FOR GOVERNMENT

Salisbury. The final result of the General Election is announced as follows:

United Party ..... 23  
Labour ..... 7  
Rhodesian Party ..... None  
Union Party ..... None

The United Party, led by Mr. G. M. Huggins, the Prime Minister, secured 11,001 votes, as compared with 14,813 in 1934. The anti-Government vote was 10,998, compared with 8,329 in 1934.

All Ministers were re-elected. The Prime Minister was re-elected. There is general satisfaction that a strong Government has been secured.



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While Postmaster James A. Farley, left, said it was "too early to talk about 1940," friends freely discussed his candidacy for the Democratic Presidential nomination, at the Jackson Day dinner in Albany, N.Y. He is shown with Governor Herbert H. Lehman at the dinner.

## Yard Kept Watch On Him For 3 Years

**SCOTLAND-YARD** and Customs Investigation Department officials called for their records recently on Captain J. J. ("Paddy") Flynn, one-legged Irishman who was killed while flying with a nineteen-year-old typist Air Guard girl.

They marked the files with one word in large letters—**DEAD.**

But Paddy Flynn would have been alive to-day if he had stuck to making time-tables.

After the crash in which he lost his leg—in 1930—Imperial Airways gave him a job in their statistical department.

But time-tables bored Paddy and he went back to the air.

### SHADOWED

Few of his friends knew that, for the last three years he had been watched on several occasions by Scotland-yard officers and Customs inquiry officers.

Flynn, former Imperial Airways pilot, was shadowed by the authorities when it was discovered that a foreigner had been smuggled into England by air.

For days police and Customs officers kept watch at his little flying field in Essex where Flynn kept a few planes. From there they followed him to a flat in the West End of London.

Flynn afterwards confessed that he had received £100 for a trip to France to "pick up" a foreigner.

He was fined for breaking Customs regulations. He told the court that he had refused to fly the man back from France when he found out that he was an undesirable alien.

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Although still making history as a one-legged flying instructor, Flynn was soon under the notice of the police again when it was discovered that he had obtained an Irish Free State passport for a man living in London.

Paddy, who had been an organizer of the Irish Free State Air Force, flew to Dublin to obtain the passport and was paid £200 for the job.

When Scotland-yard seized the passport they discovered Flynn's part.

When he gave up his time-table job he started his own flying school. It had little success. It closed down, and for Paddy it seemed that his air days were finished.

Battling took away his furniture. His telephone was cut off. Last summer he was made bankrupt when he admitted liabilities of £137 with no assets.

The new flying boom took Paddy back into the air again.

## M.P.S Approve Of Militia Bill

**WESTMINSTER.** A majority of 283 to 133 recently approved the time-table which enabled the Military Training Bill and its companion measure, the Reserve and Auxiliary Forces Bill, to pass all their stages in the House of Commons and become law before Whitsuntide.

The Prime Minister pointed out that the reasons for urgency were apparent. Our proceedings were being closely watched in other quarters. Any dilatory action would discourage our friends in Europe.

Five stages must be gone through before the first batch of militia men could be called up. Notice for registration must be given, then notice of medical examination, then notice of the examination itself, allocation of men to units followed and finally posting of notices to attend training.

The first batch therefore could not start training before the beginning of July.

If the bills were delayed until after Whitsun, training could not start before August.

He hoped the allocation of time would give reasonable opportunity for the discussion of all matters.

### SOCIALIST PROTEST

Mr. Greenwood, the Socialist spokesman, of course protested that it would not. While admitting that the Government had given more time than was originally intended, he declared the allowance totally inadequate for discussion of "a departure from long-established British tradition" and talked of "unseemly speed" and forcing the Military Training Bill through "at the point of the sword."

Sir Archibald Sinclair, leader of the Independent Liberals, admitting that the country would applaud speed and vigour, nevertheless found the "rigid machinery" of the time-table unnecessary.

After a promise from the Prime Minister to consider what could be done if the clause providing for the continuation of the Act beyond three years by Order in Council should not receive sufficient attention, the time-table was approved and the House went into committee.

## Divorce Court Bar

Cleveland, O. Common Pleas Judge Frank J. Morrick believes that divorce courts are not the places for school children to acquire the proper outlook on life. He has barred them from his court—although previously it had been the custom to show classes through.

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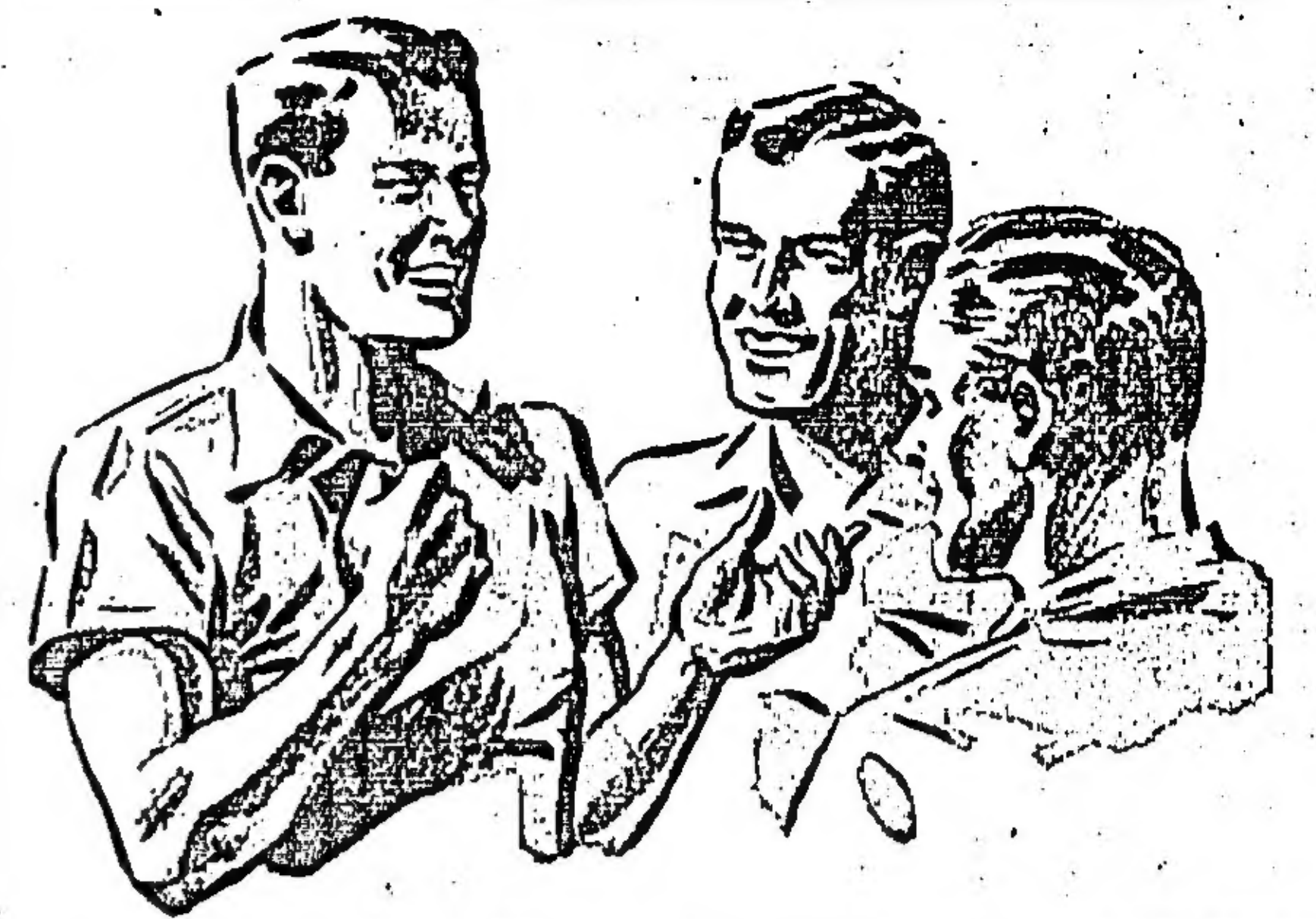
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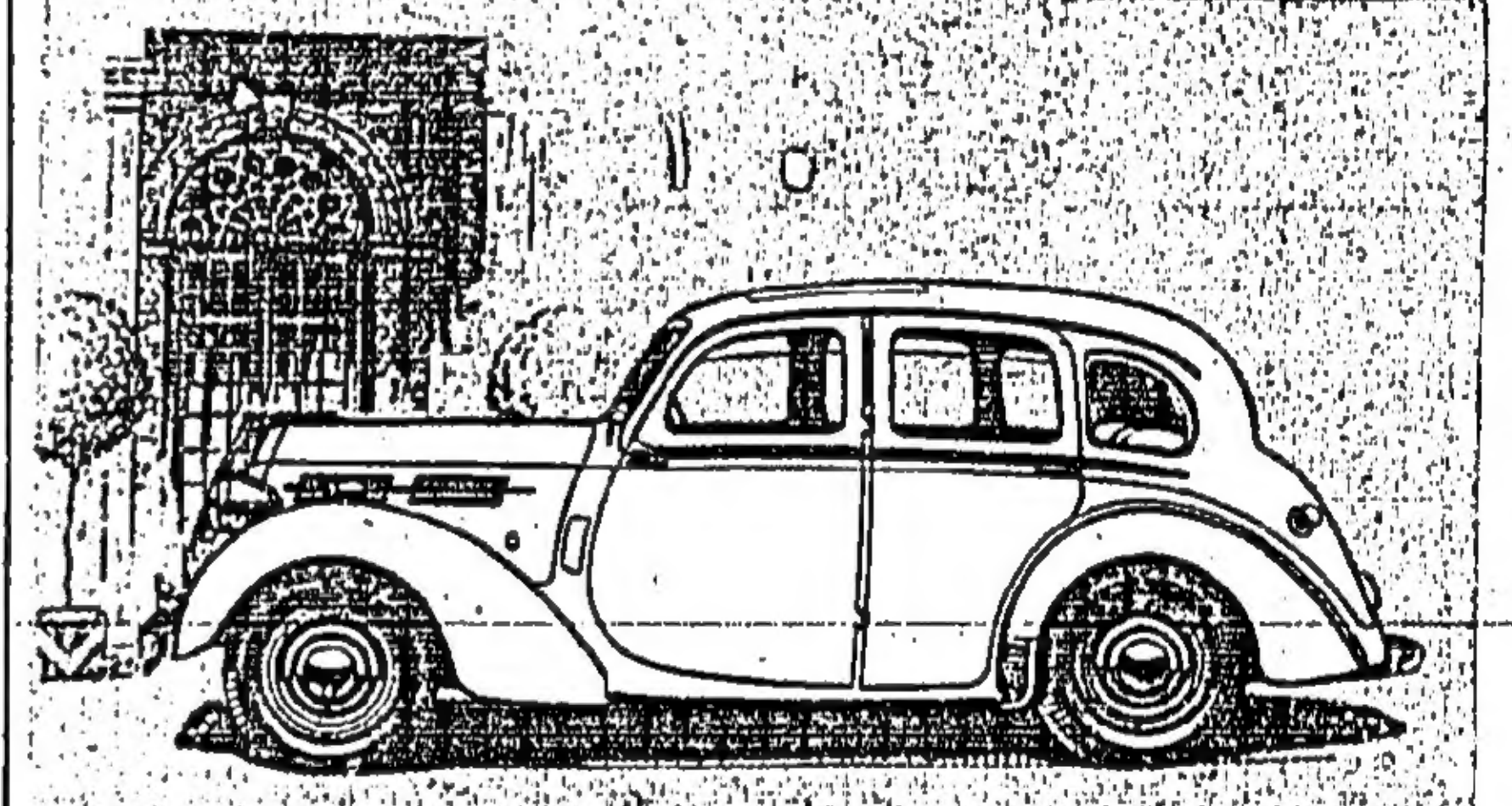
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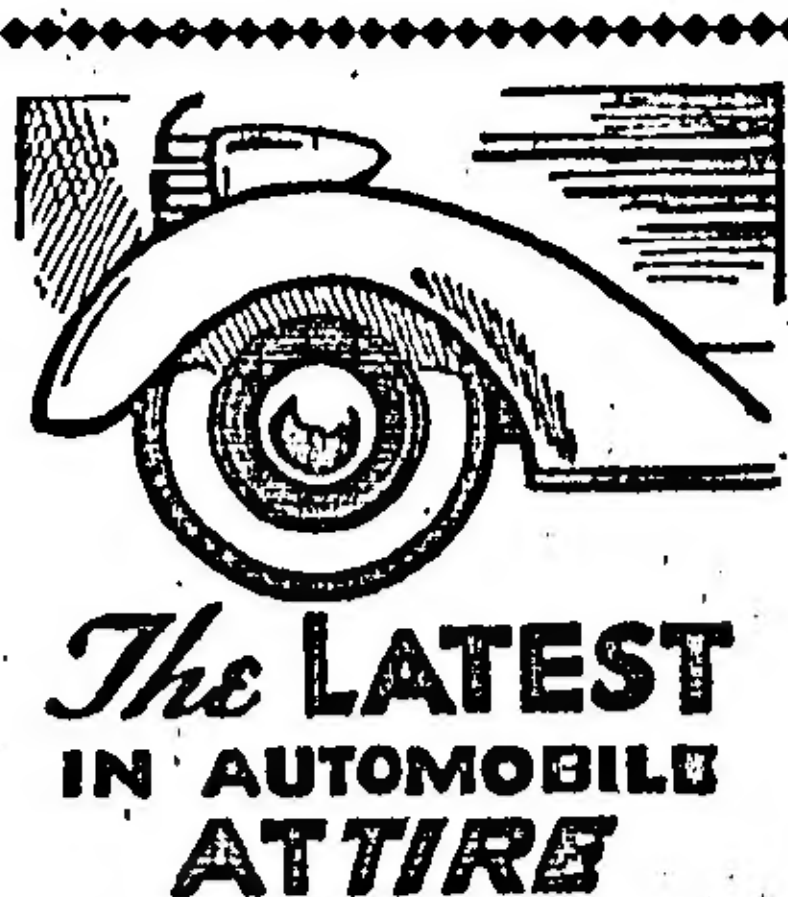
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### Some War Costs

THE cost of war is always reckoned in terms of money expended, trade lost, damage to buildings and growing crops, and last, but not least, the toll of human lives and suffering. Much has already been written about the cost of the Sino-Japanese conflict. The tragic cost in lives is only too well known. It is interesting, however, to calculate some of the smaller items, which all mount up and eventually form a colossal total. Every shot fired means money spent. Even a single rifle cartridge works out at something like ten cents, with replacement likely to be more expensive still, owing to the tendency for materials to go up in price: and millions of rifle cartridges are being fired every day in this conflict. Progressively, the shells from field-guns, trench mortars, and big cannon, are expensive items, the charge as well as the missile from a moderate sized gun costing enough in dollars to keep the average Chinese peasant family in comfort for about a month. Thousands of shells are being fired from guns of all calibres every day. Even bombing raids are costly, apart from loss of the larger aeroplanes which may cost around \$100,000 or more. The big aerial bombs are worth a goodly sum in cash. Japan spends tens of thousands of dollars each time a mass attack is staged, both in missiles and in petrol, apart from the toll of occasional damage to, or loss of, a machine. Then there is the wear and tear of weapons. The average rifle has a life of thousands of rounds, though it probably becomes inaccurate after a few weeks of incessant use. The smaller cannon are not materially affected until they have fired some hundreds of rounds, but larger guns are subjected to a great deal of wear and tear. And so the toll goes on, money and blood being literally poured out in a seemingly ceaseless stream.

# "GREEN FINGERS"

THE elite among gardeners are, of course, Scottish.

Although, through the rickety little, once-whitewashed gate, approached by three cracked and ancient, rocky, green-stained steps, glimpses of glowing blossom are vouchsafed, yet penetrate beyond, and unthought-of natural glories are revealed.

No artificial landscape garden, but one with all the lovely airs and graces of nature's handiwork, lovingly instigated by mundane hands; the hands of one who merely suggests with hesitant trepidation his own unversed ideas.

Through shady alley, over-shadowed with flaming Bougainvillea, with dark-green foliage which later in the cycle will glow with golden blossom, and cuddled into the nethermost corner lies a neat, octagonal, little, house of the simplest local materials; the arching entry gay with varied Morning Glory this lovely late May morning.

THE MASTER of this most unlocal-looking domain peers from his dusky interior, his eyesight none too good.

Kindly is the expression on the long, lean face as he nervously (he receives few visitors) fingers the straggling, scanty growth of ginger hair on cheek, on lip, on pate. The eyes—what can be seen of them—are grey; the now wrinkled skin retains a suggestion of the freshness of a northern youth, and yet the evidence of the East's co-operation is undeniable, though scrutiny within the limits of good taste can give no valid reason, beyond the fragility of the small-boned frame.

He goes by a Chinese name; his life is amongst the Chinese; he is of them and not of us.

His history? He will not tell, and politely leads the straying talk towards the beauties of his wallflowers. Seldom is Green Fingers seen upon the high-ways, but on the rare occasions we have crossed upon the roads, he straightens creaking knees, squares the sloping shoulders, raises the battered old grey felt hat and peers shortsightedly into the greeting face.

Always must another take the initiative, or pass unseen. He salutes with all the grave courtesy of a cultivated gentleman and in excellent English, strongly "R'd"; no hint of any "velly".

Incongruous as they are, my thoughts fly to the precincts of Canterbury and to a charming old prelate who, sympathising with a straying stranger, set the erring footsteps upon the needed path and, incidentally, added much to a sadly deficient historical education.

CONJECTURES are fascinating and lead to multitudinous possibilities. Certainly the forebears of Green Fingers include those hungry for the land, who deeply cherish green and growing lives; those who find intense enjoyment, indeed beauty, in the precocious development of a cabbage.

Every plant and every flower thrives upon his care; his blossoms surpass those grown by the comparatively wealthy, able to command the allegiance of the wage-earners.

by  
Norah  
Whitstone

Many others love a garden but none possesses the unknown influence of this little old man of mystery. Nothing which he plants sulkily refuses to cling to life. The tendrils of the vines reach to him in welcome; even the sunflower, it would seem, deserts the sun and turns towards mankind. Pansies, of course, eye him with confidence, sure in their security. His courtesy will not extend to those who seek their heads drooping in a bowl.

One of his rare comparatively expansive moments produced the confident assertion that they feel; that the sight of a mutilated tree fills him with shudders and that he passes with averted eye; that the obscurity of the line of demarcation between animal and vegetable worlds is regrettable and worthy of prolonged study, and were he only younger what might be not achieve.

RUEFUL complaint is often heard of the sameness of Hongkong, of the lack of something new; that her inhabitants are cut from the common mould; but shun the market place, penetrate behind the scenes where surprising and refreshing co-colonists sustain life as to them seems best, regardless of the world outside; and querulous unrest may change to vivid interest.

## A Look Through The "Telegraph"

### 50 YEARS AGO

May 27, 1889.  
The reason the Victoria College is so long getting finished has been, at last discovered—it is carried away in sections by thieves as fast as it is put up. The chief objects of interest to them are the brass hinges of the doors, hundreds of which, without exaggeration, have been from time to time stolen.

### 25 YEARS AGO

May 27, 1914.  
The House of Commons passed the third reading of the Home Rule Bill by 261 votes to 274.

Save by a small handful of far-seeing individuals, Kowloon was, much less than a score of years ago even, the despised portion of the Colony. There was one cry which has often been voiced on Kowloon's behalf by the Telegraph—the cry for more light, better lighting facilities. The prevailing conditions are nothing short of a disgrace to the Colony; they constitute a grave public scandal. Strong as these words are, they are fully warranted by the facts of the case, which can be gathered by anyone taking the trouble to stroll through Kowloon after dusk, provided it is not a moonlight night. No part of the peninsula is well lit; many parts of it are left in absolute darkness.

### 10 YEARS AGO

May 27, 1929.  
In consequence of the continuation of dry weather, further water restrictions are to come into force as from Tuesday next.

### 5 YEARS AGO

May 27, 1934.  
A record was created at the Kowloon wharves this morning, when for the first time all the ten berths, including the new one, was occupied.

In all, there were ten steamers berthed, the total tonnage of which came to nearly 120,000 tons.

## She Will Wed Queen Mary's Footman

KING'S LYNN (Norfolk). MISS BERYL ANDERSON is going to marry Mr. Sydney Cumper, Queen Mary's footman—in August, perhaps.

Miss Anderson at her home in South-street, King's Lynn, said that the wedding plans were being kept secret.

She is twenty-eight years old; a photographer's assistant.

Eight years ago her half-sister Florie married Mr. Cecil Thompson, second chauffeur to King George V. and Queen Mary.

It now lives Queen Mary's car, and Queen Mary is godmother to his second child.

## GRIN AND BEAR IT By Lichty



"It's a nice account—the only catch is, they want us to make 'Himmelpfeffer's Hossanna Herrings' a household word!"

# MEDICINES OF CATHAY

THE ART of medicine is one of the few sciences which needs no apology.

The liability of the human race to disease is an all sufficient reason for its existence.

However erratic its progress may have been through the ages, its boon to suffering mankind has been undeniably great.

IN THE West where the talent and indefatigable energy of its adepts have been expended in endeavouring to enhance its value, every department of medicine has benefited from the self-denying labours of its research workers.

Great names like those of Koch, Pasteur, and Ehrlich crowd themselves on the memory, recalling notable advances in various fields of the science.

In the East, on the other hand, little has been done for medicine as a science until very recent years. In fact, until the advent of western methods of treatment, the functions of the body were imperfectly understood, and the application of remedial agents generally enveloped in an appalling veil of superstition and dogma.

THIS WAS especially the case in China, which although one of the most populous, wealthy, and cultured regions of the globe, has been content to regard medicine as a secondary science.

The healing art has been permitted to remain in a mediæval state, subjected to practically no restrictions or control.

No recognised system of imparting knowledge of the science was followed, and as may be expected in such circumstances, diplomas or certificates were not required.

Any person desirous of taking up the practice of medicine either read those books which he thought desirable, or else attached himself to some already established physician for a few months or years as the case might require.

The former method of learning was most in vogue; for if an intending doctor could procure a manuscript book containing medical formulae handed down for a number of generations, he was considered to be well on the way to becoming a successful practitioner.

This was because old books were regarded as containing the results of the experience of successful medical men, and in view of the tremendous verities of the antique, it is to be expected that such manuscript works were worth their weight in gold.

Medicinal notebooks of this kind were carefully retained in families, and to this day, if a Chinese doctor of the old school can advertise in the vernacular press that he is a physician of three, four, or five generations, he is supposed to possess all the ability and experience accumulated by his ancestors, and is therefore entitled to enjoying a lucrative practice.

IN THE time of the Empire, unsuccessful aspirants for a literary degree would often take up the practice of medicine, and this procedure is still followed to a certain extent. For instance, Chinese youths of education, lacking capital, or inclination to pursue a mercantile career, often turn their attention to medicine or dentistry. Strangely enough, these "irregular" practitioners generally specialise, for Chinese medicine like its western counterpart is sub-divided into different branches. Thus, one physician will undertake the treatment of fevers, rheumatism, etc.; another, the diseases of women, and so on.

Dentistry or surgery are popularly regarded as being on a lower plane than medicine, probably because of the absence of surgical and dental knowledge most manipulative operations were not understood.

IT IS a singular fact that although Chinese physicians, whose knowledge of medicine from western standards is highly imperfect, are yet able to treat the majority of their patients quite judiciously.

Their theory of "material" medica may be rather sketchy, but they have learned through experience the uses and properties of a formidable number of medicinal substances, many of which, from their therapeutic value, are now being adopted into western pharmacopoeias.

Chinese medicines have also been pioneers in advocating diet and being marvellously accurate observers of the course and treatment of diseases, they have been successful in treating cases by empirical methods, that is, by the age-old plan of trial and error.

Such a system of medical procedure is bound to be mixed with much that is reminiscent of the days of Ptolemy, but while the Chinese physician may be ignorant of the cause of the disease which he is treating, he is frequently successful in its cure.

Thus, many Chinese doctors enjoy reputations which their western colleagues might well envy, bringing them patients from vast distances, and even from the most remote parts of the country.

AS IS well known, the Chinese are an intensely practical people, and this trait is amply revealed in their dealings with their physicians.

For instance, when a person is taken ill, his family or friends consult some medic, who undertakes to treat the case.

If the results do not follow expectations, another doctor is invited in, and in the case of his failure, successive gentlemen of the art are sent for.

Finally one is found, whose treatment of the case is regarded as satisfactory, and he is left in charge. But should the patient not do as well under his care as was expected, they again resort to the process of selecting another medical attendant.

They naively reason that "there is no sense in retaining a doctor in charge of a case, if he cannot effect a cure."

IN THEIR theory of medicine, Chinese physicians follow the system of the past, believing that the organs of the body are filled to various material substances, such as metal, wood, water, fire, and earth. These are the yin-yang, or "five elements" of the universe.

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## Recent Kowloon Weddings in Pictures



**CHARMING ATTENDANT.** Little Daphne Margaret Puncheon who acted as flower-girl at the wedding of her aunt, Miss Margaret Bell, to Mr. C. D. Hopper. The ceremony took place recently at St. Andrew's Church.—*King's Studio.*



**BRIDAL PARTY.** Group photograph taken after the recent marriage at St. Andrew's Church of Miss Margaret Robson Bell and Mr. C. D. Hopper.—*King's Studio.*



**ARRIVAL AT CHURCH.** Miss Margaret Bell, accompanied by her father and Miss Nancy Kempton, arrives at the church for her recent marriage to Mr. C. D. Hopper.—*King's Studio.*

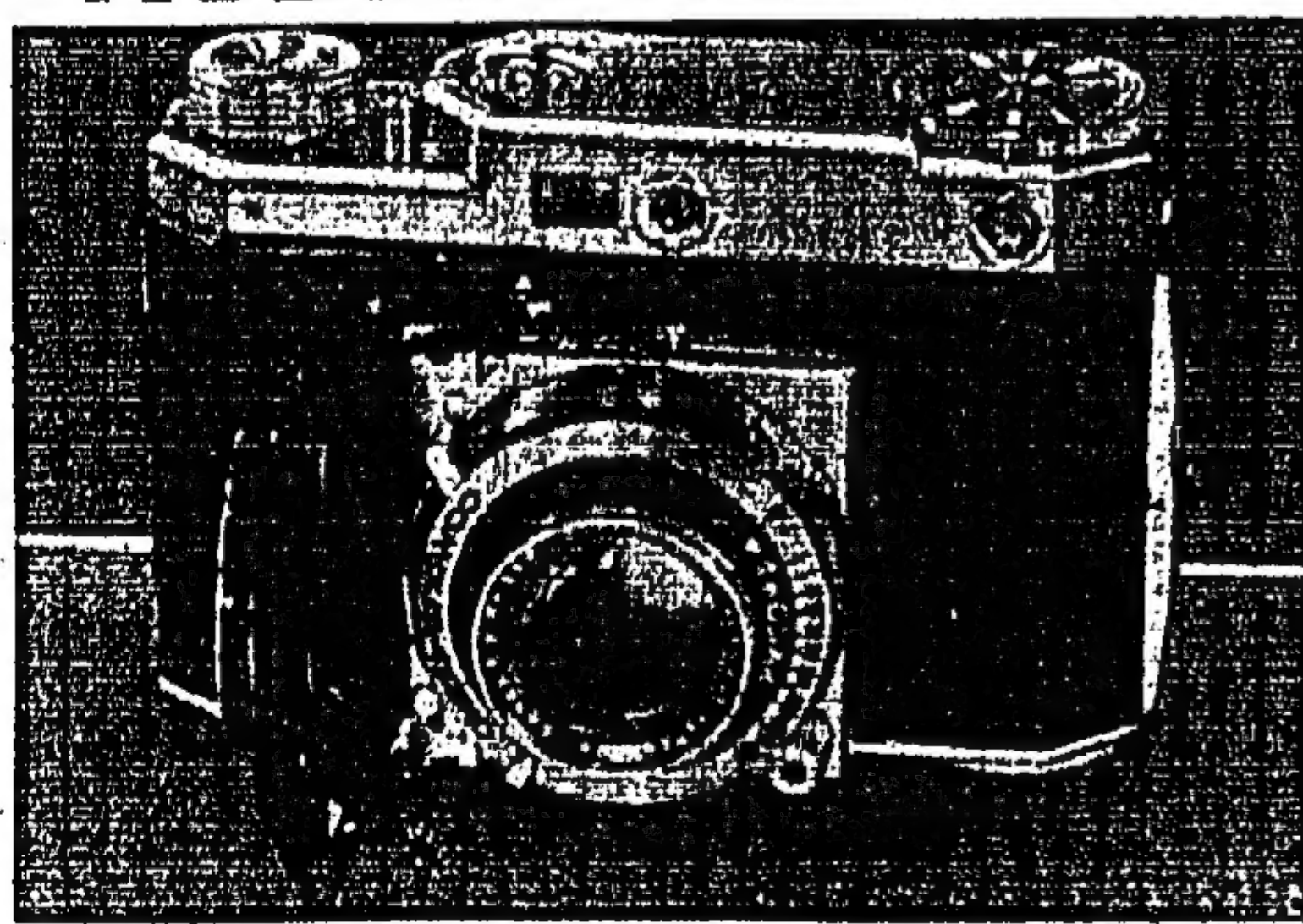


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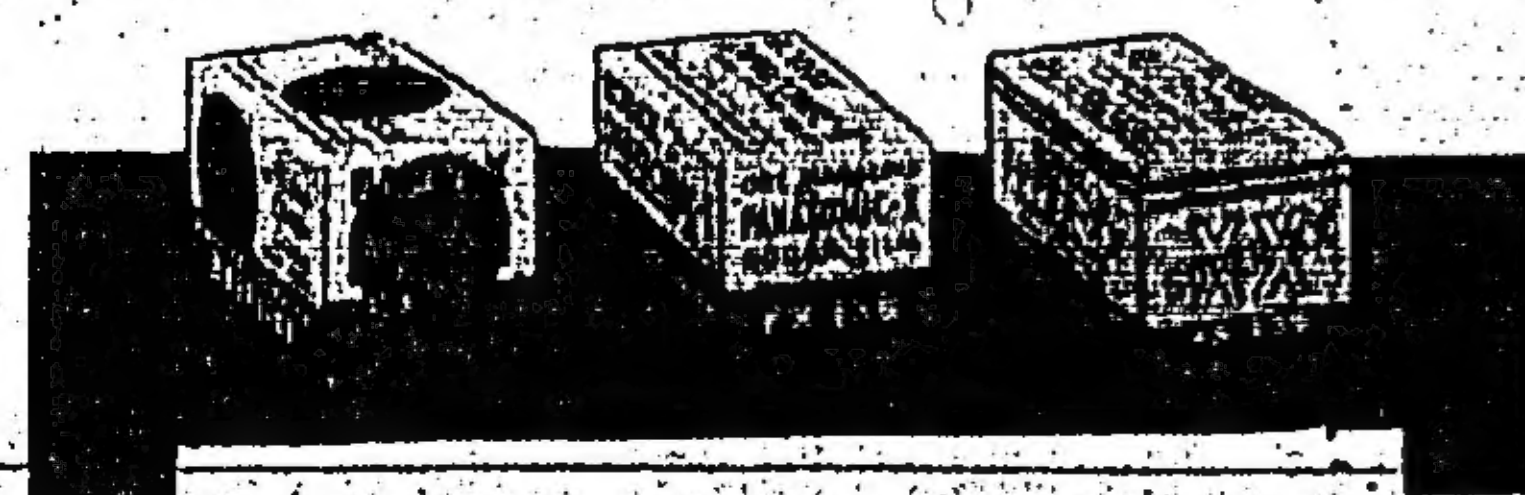


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1.—Somewhat less than human, somewhat more than beast is Sagittarius, the Archer of the Zodiac and the sign of December. Being half-horse and half-man, the Greeks, who had a name for everything, called him a—

Satyr; demigod; dryad; centaur; orad; sylph.

2.—It is difficult to believe that in these troubled days there still exists a race which does not know the meaning of aggression, has in fact, got by without a war. That race is—

The Dyaks of Borneo; the Aruntas of Central Australia; the Eskimos; the Negritos of Malay; the Javanese; the Lapps.

3.—Assuming that you are an average man or woman with an average heart, your average heart every day beats—

10,000 times; 40,000 times; 60,000 times; 100,000 times.

4.—Which of these is the largest structure in the world?

Salisbury Cathedral, England; the Eiffel Tower, Paris; the Brown House, Munich; St. Peter's, Rome; the Empire State Building, New York; the Harbour Bridge, Sydney.

5.—"Pass the sodium chloride," said Myosis Murgatroyd, airing his erudition at lunch the other day. "How often must I tell you to say, 'Please,'" barked his father, passing the—

Mustard; vinegar; salt; sugar; pepper; butter; pickles.

6.—Newfoundland, in case you do not already know, is Britain's oldest colony. It was discovered by—

Drake; Frobenius; Columbus; Cabot; Captain Cook; Flinders.

7.—"Harry," said the Tycoon of Toorak to his wine steward, "see that you serve the sparkling champagne correctly—meaning, of course, that it must be served—

Slightly chilled; at room temperature; at body temperature; very cold; at boiling point.

8.—Wellington was the corpse which came like an honoured guest, which does not alter the fact that the city of Wellington, in New Zealand, is in the—

North Island; South Island.

9.—If you don't know your modern history, you look like losing two points cold for not knowing that the first country to make peace with its opponents in the Great War was—

Italy; Belgium; Germany; Rumania; Russia; Austria.

10.—You've heard of things getting into a state of torpor during the summer—you call them—

Hibernators; members of Parliament; mammals; torporites; estivators; carnivora.

11.—Some people suffer from tinnitus and they suffer so badly that they don't know what. They needn't worry, though, for tinnitus is only a—

Bad memory; mild toothache; ringing in the ears; form of sneezing; tummy-ache.

12.—If you've heard of dietitians you've heard of vitamins, and if you've heard of vitamins you can't back out of this by saying you've never heard of calories, which measure—

The distance between meals; your daily liquor allowance; year acid con-

tent; the heat producing value; the fat around your heart.

13.—Many of the world's greatest musicians died in poverty; several were afflicted with blindness; at least three went mad, but one wrote his greatest works when he was deaf. That one was—

Handel; Brahms; Mozart; Bach Debussy; Beethoven; Gershwin.

14.—If I told you that while I was playing my favourite sport last Saturday I was struck on the shins by the puck, you would know at once that my favourite sport was—

Lacrosse; basketball; skittles; euehre; ice hockey; pelota; polo; hallet.

15.—Murgatroyd, who can be an offensive end when he likes, called me an antinomian. Naturally I bent him to his knees in righteous wrath, because an antinomian is one who—

Resists all progressive laws; sleeps with his boots on; eats spaghetti with a spoon; opposes established law and order; beats his wife.

16.—All of these countries are kingdoms; at least they were when this edition went to press. And two of them are ruled over by minors. Those two are—

Norway; Belgium; Shum; Holland; Jugo-Slavia; Denmark; Rumania.

17.—Neville Chamberlain, Mr. to you, if you please, was a big shot before he became Prime Minister. Yes he was. He was—

Minister for Home Affairs; Mayor of Birmingham; Governor-General of Australia; Secretary for Foreign Affairs.

18.—Mr. Chamberlain has every right to claim the attention of posterity for his championing of the policy of peace through strength. He will also be remembered because he—

Carries an umbrella in his portfolio; refuses to work on Fridays; suffers from gout; dislikes garlic; is a keen huntsman.

19.—Murgatroyd is thinking very seriously of having his eldest son, Myosis, when he leaves the university, apprenticed to a dowser.

Everybody should know that a dowser—

Uses a divining rod; throws cold water.

on everything; turns on the taps for the fire-brigade; extinguishes the street lamps.

20.—"Procrastination is the Thief of Time" is, as you know, an iambic pentameter and a proverb which has been thumbed and dog-eared so much that it has degenerated into a platitude. Its originator was—

Charles Dickens; W. M. Thackeray; Solomon; Edward Young; Charles M. Reade; Ella Wheeler Wilcox.

21.—Strictly speaking this one should be for men only. If you presented your wife—or anybody else's wife for that matter—with a baboushka, you would expect to see it—

Adorning the kitchen floor; draped over the what-not in the parlour; around her waist; on her head; sleeping peacefully in the cradle.

22.—Be warned in advance that I am out to trick you, so be very careful over this one. If each of four pairs of twins has a son, altogether their sons would number—

Four; eight; 10; 16; 24; 40.

23.—We will accept as an established fact that Estonia, formerly a Russian Province, is now a Sovereign State on the shores of the Baltic. We will also accept as an established fact that its capital city is—

Kovno; Oslo; Memel; Riga; Helsinki; Tallinn; Narva.

24.—It is not often that I dream, but the other night I dreamt—only dreamt, mind you, that somebody presented me with a Botticelli. So I dreamt that I—

Gave it to my wife to cut up for the children; ate it; stored it away carefully in the old oak chest; hung it on the wall.

25.—This is one so old that everybody should know the answer. But I am putting it in in the faint hope that somebody will fall for it. If a brick weighs nine pounds and half a brick, what does a brick and a half weigh?

9½ lbs.; 17 lbs.; 13½ lbs.; 27 lbs.

(Answers on Page 3)

## BRIDGE PROBLEM

Diamonds are trumps. South leads and North-South have to win six of the seven tricks.

Solutions by first post Wednesday to Bridge Problem, "Hongkong Telegraph," Wyndham Street.

## Sundaes Girl To Film Star

A film agent's passion for "hot fudge sundaes" has brought fame to a golden-haired girl who used to sell that delicacy in a candy store in Hollywood.

The agent saw the girl, told her she was wasting her time and gave her an introduction to the Paramount Film Co. She went to the studios for tests and recently she arrived in England as the star of five pictures within her first year of film work.

She is Ellen Drew, and with the Welsh-born film hero, Ray Milland, she has gone to England to star in the film version of "French Without Tears," which is to be made at Sound City.

Miss Drew's biggest film to date, "The Lady's from Kentucky" in which she stars with George Raft, was released in London.

## Help Your Children to Study

By A Schoolmaster

HOW many parents, whose children attend day schools, can honestly say that they give their sons and daughters every encouragement and opportunity to study at home in the evening?

Homework, I fear, is regarded by fathers and mothers more as a nuisance than a necessity. At best, it is often an excuse for telling the children to keep quiet and get on with their lessons, so that dad may read his evening paper while mother knits and listens to the wireless.

Many of us must remember evenings when we were asked—"Have you no home lessons to-night?" The question often came, not out of interest, but because we had become fidgety and were irritating the older members of the family. It was simply an excuse for making us keep quiet.

In this age when diplomas and certificates appear to count for so much, surely it is reasonable to expect parents to do something to help their children to obtain the coveted documents. If the result is worth having, it should be worth a little trouble during the school years.

### The Wrong Atmosphere

As a schoolmaster, it is my honest opinion that, although parents realise that a good education is of greater importance than ever in the past, they do less than my parents did to have done to promote the right atmosphere for study in the home.

Their desire seems to be not to see their children well educated (with all that entails), but simply to see them the possessors of a certificate which will help in the quest for a job. If this is true, as I believe it to be, then the whole purpose of education has gone astray—and sadly astray.

The strange thing is that many parents of moderate means are prepared to make great sacrifices in order that their children may have the benefits of secondary education, and then they counteract all these efforts by failing to inculcate in them a desire to learn and to provide them with a suitable atmosphere in which to study. It is one of those obvious things which we often fail to see until they are pointed out to us.

It is not enough to leave the education of your children to their schoolmasters. Unless the teaching they receive in school is amplified at home, the results will not be all that may be desired. Certainly, there are children to whom learning is no trouble. They are naturally interested in the acquisition of knowledge and will study without the application of force or encouragement. The average child is not so much and requires a good deal of both if he is to pass examinations.

### Will to Learn

At this point I should, perhaps, make it quite clear that I do not re-

gard the passing of an examination as the chief aim of education; far from it, but I do realise that many children are kept at school for that purpose, and it is the duty of a schoolmaster, whether he likes it or not, to help as many of his pupils as possible to pass their examinations. If it means a certain amount of grind and uninteresting work, it is the aim which the pupil (or perhaps I should say the parent) has set himself, and to that he must submit.

That entails study at home, for I am firmly convinced that, however good the teaching in school may be, it is the conscious effort made by the pupil himself which is the greatest factor in his success. Some pupils will learn in spite of bad teaching; others will never learn in spite of good teaching. There is more truth in the remark that genius is three-quarters hard work than we sometimes think. Both at home and in school there must be a conscious effort of concentration and memory and the will to learn.

How, you may ask, is a parent to help? You may say to yourself that you weren't much good at lessons and don't feel yourself in a position to do anything about it. You may simply say that you pay fees and that it is the schoolmaster's job, not yours, to see that your child is properly educated. Examine yourself and make sure that it isn't just laziness on your part. After all, they are your children, aren't they? If their own parent is not prepared to go to some trouble for them, it's hardly good of a mere stranger to try to educate them for you—and that for a mere pittance at which a doctor or a lawyer would scoff.

### Routine of Study

You can help in many ways. First of all, set a time apart for the children's studies. There's nothing like routine. The length of time will depend greatly on the age of the pupil and the seriousness of his studies. Choose a time when there are likely to be few interruptions, and do, please, switch off the wireless during this study period. Nothing is more distracting to a child when he is trying hard to concentrate.

Not long ago I suggested to a pupil that the exercise he had given me had been done to the accompaniment of the wireless. He admitted it, and promised to do the next one shut up alone in his bedroom. He kept his promise, and the result was amazing.

Help your children to see that homework is a job which has to be done. Like all other jobs, it gives a feeling of satisfaction when it has been accomplished—and you can add to that feeling by appreciating the young student's efforts. Not by brib-

ing them, but by sympathetic understanding of their difficulties and by helping them to overcome them.

Give them a room or a corner of a room where they can keep their books and, if possible, have a little table to work at. Home-lessons are not to be done on the corner of a tea-table or on the arm of a chair. It is an important piece of work, and deserves some little dignity. If the children retire to a special room, it will soon take on the atmosphere of a study, and atmosphere helps.

Show some interest in their work. Ask questions about it, and encourage them to tell you what they are studying. Get them to explain things to you—even if you don't understand the subject, it will help them to clarify their own ideas and fix them in their minds.

If they have difficulties, why not write a friendly note to the teacher and explain this, asking him or her to look into the matter? Children usually tell their parents more than they tell their teachers about the difficulties they experience—and parents sometimes put them down to the teacher's inability to explain things, whereas it may have been inattention on the child's part.

### A Place for Sport

While I strongly recommend that lessons should be regarded as the serious side of life, do not forget that a child must have exercise and games. But do not magnify the importance of a child's sporting activities—unless he is to become a professional footballer. Help him to realise that sports is the lighter side of life, which is to be enjoyed in the right spirit at the right moment. Sport is relaxation, and without it good work cannot be done, at least in the case of a child. Inability to concentrate is sometimes due to lack of exercise, so let the lessons be done after some time of relaxation and movement—not immediately after school—but do not expect a child to concentrate on mental work when he is physically fatigued.

These are merely a few suggestions which can be supplemented by parents. I submit them with no hesitation, for I am convinced that if children can be taught how to study at home, the increase in happiness both to parents and children will be well worth any trouble which may be incurred. Do, please, help your children to study.

W. M. R.

## Puzzle Corner

### Cryptogram

"YDORAP" SI ETH JDJH ETDE  
SI LHJHODNNE LSQJH ER D IV-  
KORVI SKSEDSRX RX D IH-  
OSRVI YRKH NO IRJL.

### A Rebus

The letters below, in their present position, represent a 5-letter word. The lines below give a clue:

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Every society  
Of ME has a variety

### Letter Changing

Following the usual rules, try changing OPINE to THINK in 4 moves.

### How Many Members?

A certain club owes a debt of 400 dollars. But it is informed by its treasurer that if 5 new members are admitted, the assessment to meet the debt will be 4 dollars less per member. How many members has the club?

### Fun With Synonyms

Another list of 10 words and their synonyms. Try pairing them:

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
allow	condemne								
urge	perish								
radiant	success								
prohibit	placid								
forgive	oppress								
reluctant	relate								
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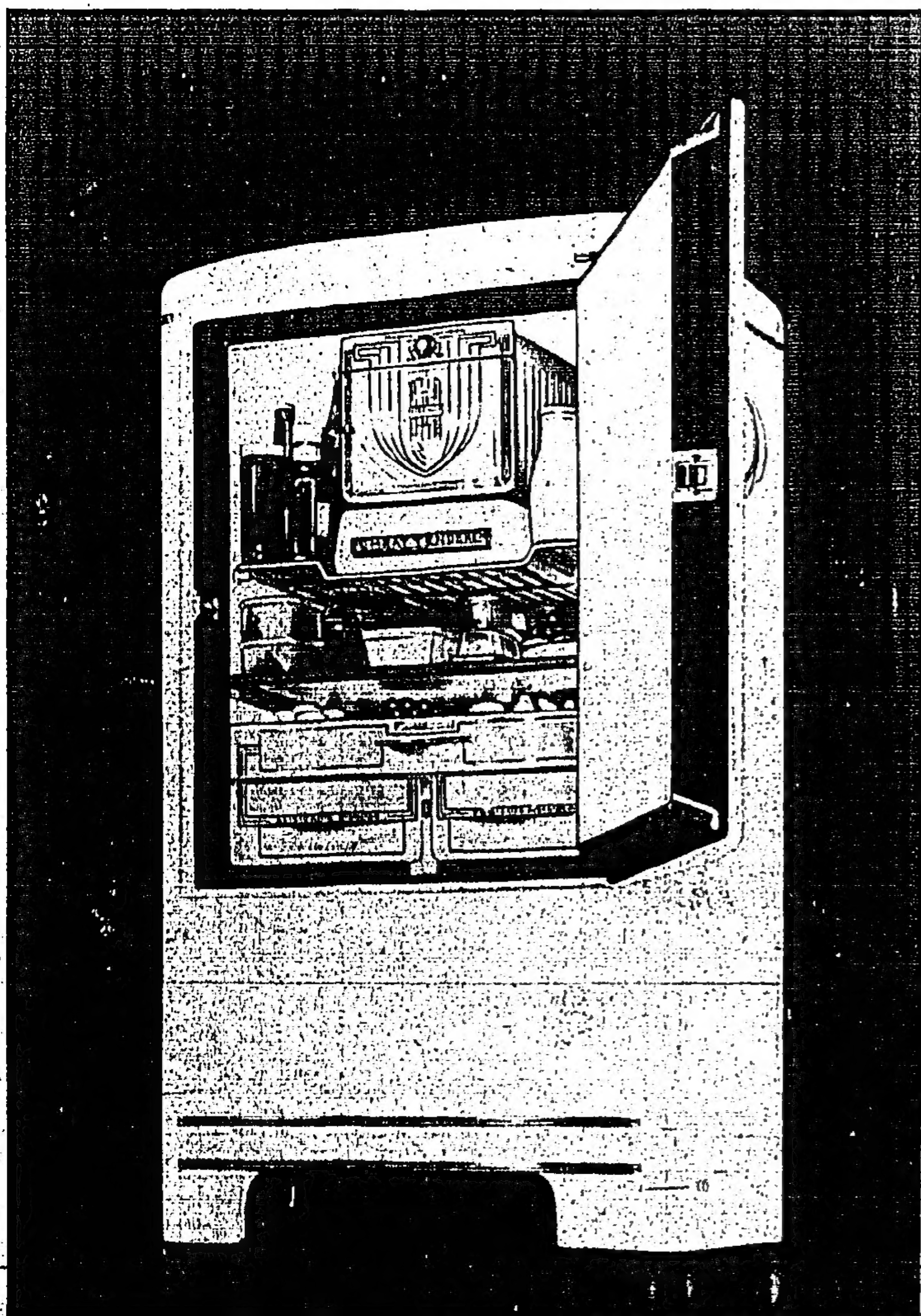
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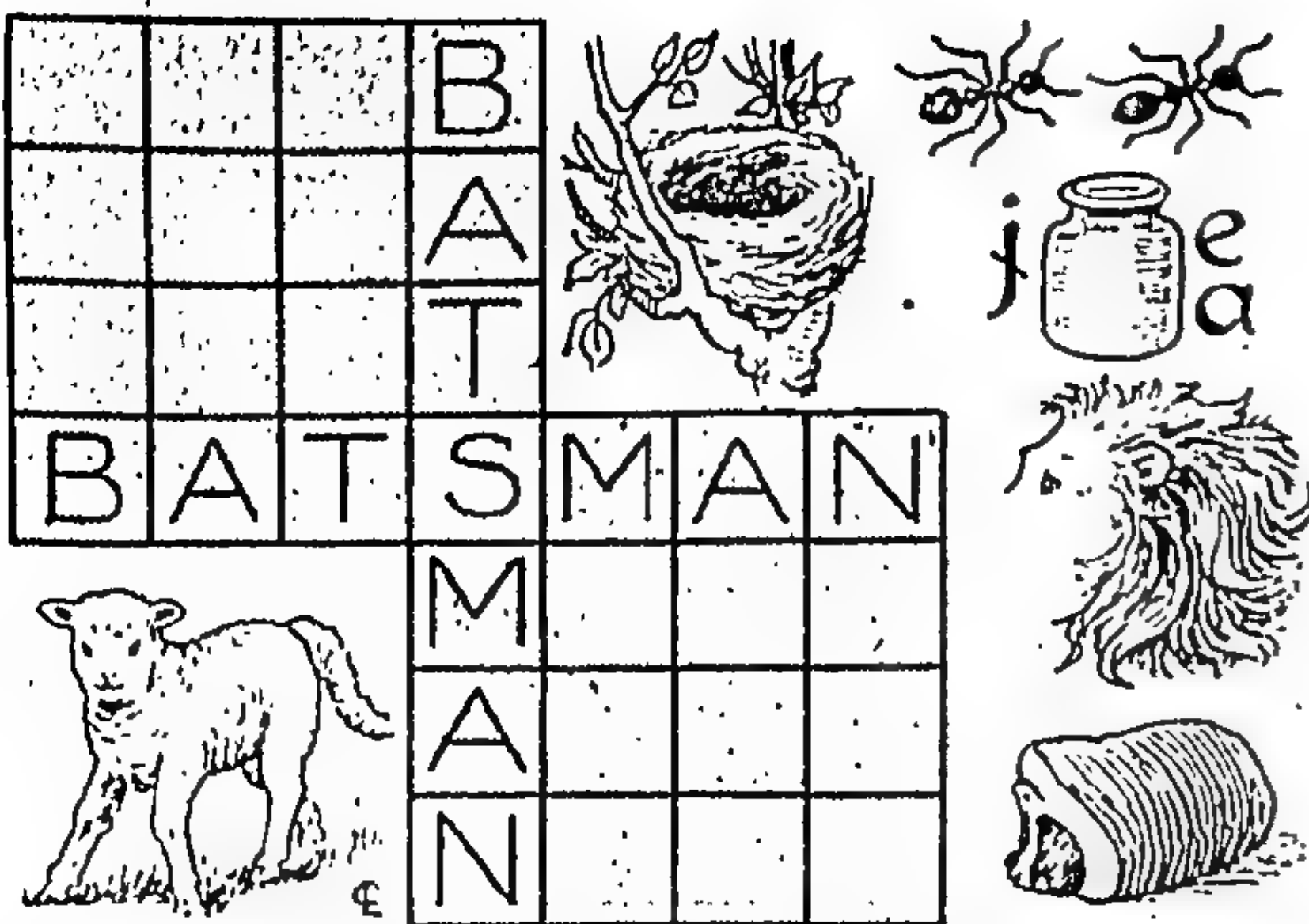
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## Girls' and Boys' Corner



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Dear Kiddies,

Lots of entries this week for the animal competition. Many of you gave incorrect answers for the second and twelfth animals. The second was a llama and the twelfth was a panda.

After carefully looking through the correct entries and taking age and neatness of handwriting into consideration, I decided to award the prizes this week to:

Susan Gehring (aged 12), 118, Waterloo Road.

David Carvalho (aged 8½), 15, Ashley Road.

Ronald Holmes (aged 7½), 5, Gun Club Hill.

Coupons have been sent to Susan, David and Ronald which I want them to bring to the "Hongkong Telegraph" offices in Wyndham Street. The coupons will then be exchanged for money prizes.

I want to specially commend the following for excellent work:

Seniors: Wong Yung-tsing, Eunice Schwender, Beryl Wong, David

Mackie, Claud Coom, David Lindell, C. Ross, Daniel Chey, Joan Gordon, Young Kit-wa, G. Jhumat, G. Remedios, I. Osmund, Yung Yim-yiu, Mabel Swaine.

Intermediates: Eileen Peters, Anne Cullimore, Francis Rozario, D. Tavares, S. Clarke, S. McIntyre, Roberto de Sousa, Eleanor Pirie, Wendy Burton, Paddy Grimmit, Roy Holmes, Reimat Samy, J. Strange, Joan A. Daniel.

Junior: Pauline Neubronner, Aw Sinn, Anthony Cutcher, Tony Rozario.

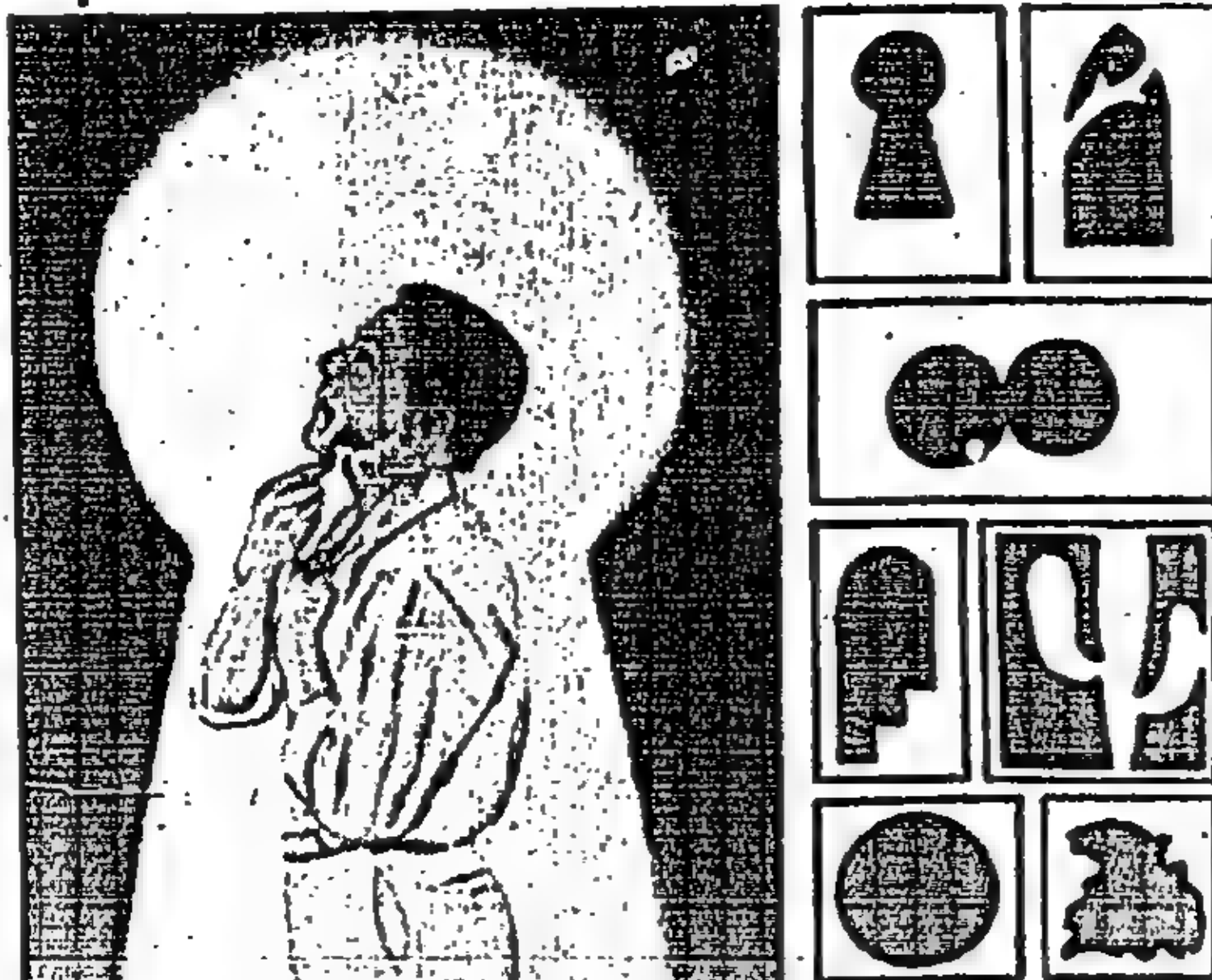
This week, kiddies, we are having a simple interesting competition.

The puzzle is to make a double word-square based on the key-word "Batsman." The sketches give you the words needed—note that each word fits in twice, across and down. To start with, at the top corner you will see that LAMB is the right word (as it ends with B); in the lower square the letters of the key-word will be the first letters of the words to be fitted in.

If you can complete the puzzle, copy out your solution neatly, fill in the name, age and address coupon and send your entries to Uncle Eddie.

## The SNAPSHOT GUILD

TRICK PICTURES



Simple "mask box" makes it easy to take pictures with trick "frames." Above, "keyhole" picture. Right, box showing placing of camera and cut-out mask. Upper right, various cut-outs: keyhole, gothic window, field glasses, stairway window, giant cactus silhouette, porthole and rocky cave mouth.

SNAPSHOTS with trick "frames" are easy to take, and fun to show. You can get pictures apparently made through keyholes or field glasses—and many other novel effects.

Obtain an ordinary cardboard box. It should be about twelve inches one way, and eight inches or more the other two dimensions. Exact size doesn't matter. Cut a hole in the middle of one end, a bit larger than your camera lens. Cut a large opening in the opposite end, and over this place a large "keyhole" cut out of cardboard (see drawing above). It is a good idea to paint the inside of the box black, to guard against stray reflections.

New, place the box on a firm support, such as a table. Slight through the small rear opening, and adjust box until it frames the scene you want to picture. Line up the camera with the rear opening, as shown—and take the picture. Use a small lens opening, making a "time" exposure if the light requires it.

For other effects, just use a different cutout, such as those shown above. Make cut-outs with simple outlines. When you use a mask box twelve inches long, a cut-out opening about six inches high or wide is usually satisfactory. After your first roll of pictures, you can tell if larger or smaller masks are preferable.

Since the cut-out masks are close to the lens, they will be somewhat out-of-focus and "fuzzy." This helps conceal the faking, and adds to the effect.

John van Guilder

Lots of luck, kiddies.

Uncle Eddie

c/o "Hongkong Telegraph", Wyndham Street. The competition closes at 2 p.m. on Wednesday.

Prizes will be awarded for entries which are correct and, in my opinion, best written or printed.

## BOOKS OF THE WEEK

# Engineers make good reading

GREAT ENGINEERS:  
BY PROFESSOR C. MATSCHOSS  
Translated from the German by  
Dr. H. Stafford Hatfield  
(G. Bell and Sons, 12s. 6d.)

ENGINEERS, no matter how great, are not held in much honour. Which is odd, because you and I live in a civilisation—yes! Let's still call it that for convenience—conditioned by the haphazard results of engineering initiative.

Because the steam engine was invented in the eighteenth century, grew up and became locomotive rather more than a century ago, we are what we are.

Great engineers have been the haphazard, unconscious architects of modern history. On the whole I feel that James Watt, Trevithick and the Stephensons changed the world more convulsively and drastically than Napoleon and his marshals.

Marconi was a much more important figure than Mussolini can even hope to be. The whole motor-car industry of the world rests on the achievement of three Germans—Daimler, Benz and Maybach. Hitler will never alter the habits and outlook of mankind as they have done.

Therefore, I welcome this book, which is the first modern attempt I remember to give an intelligent, non-technical account of some of the greatest engineers, and of their most important achievements.

Unfortunately, I must add that Professor Matschoss has written a very bad book.

He has left out all consideration of social implications. National pride has led him to dwell on minor German (un)deeds of no interest or importance.

We hear all about Holzhäuser, Dinsendahl, Reichenbach—of whom I never heard before. But what about Lillenthal, the German father of powerless flight? What about the

other pioneers of aviation? Why is Count Zeppelin left out?

Engineers, even more than pure scientists, loose forces they cannot control. Their genius has poured disorganisation, war, unemployment, slums, disease, poverty and prostitution on the world. It would be unjust to say that they have regarded these horrors with indifference. Rather they have ignored them or not noticed them, while they went on either to solve new technical problems or else rubbed their hands with horrid joy at all the money they were making.

Any sensible society would impound every new engineering process, examine it cautiously, and then only introduce it to the world once adequate safeguards had been arranged against its commercial exploitation for profit by the few and for loss to the many.

A homicidal machine with a bomb hovering over a city in an airship is a much more benevolent creature than an engineer bent on making his fortune—so far as human happiness goes.

This book is a better argument for the common sense of Socialism than most Labour speeches or pamphlets, even though it is written and translated without form or any feeling for words.

And—besides all that, Professor Matschoss manages to be so interesting. I liked reading his book, and I do hope more and better books will follow this morning star of engineering biography. Professor Matschoss has left out plenty.

### Puzzle Corner Answers

Cryptogram: "Parody" is the name that is generally given to a humorous imitation of a serious poem or song. A Ribus: By L & W (by law).

Letter Changing: Opine spine, shine thine, think.  
How Many Members? 20.  
Fun With Synonyms: Follow—succeed; urge—push; predict—forecast; prohibit—debar; forgive—pardon; relinquish—renounce; free—liberate; crush—oppress; please—satisfy; flatter—blatant.

## Refugees

YOU AND THE REFUGEE  
By Sir Norman Angel and  
Frances Buxton  
(Penguin, 6d.)

WHAT a lot of nonsense is being talked about refugees. Actually the problem is not at all what it seems to be at a first glance.

England takes very few refugees—only a twentieth of those being taken by France.

And it is not true that refugees put English people out of work.

The real threat to employment lies in the fact that in a year or two the population of Britain is going to fall. Consider just one effect of that.

The railways say that even with our present population they find it hard to get a "square deal." What sort of a deal are they going to get if the number of possible passengers falls year by year? How many railwaymen will keep their jobs?

At all costs we must stop our population from falling. That can only be done in one of two ways: by raising the birth-rate or importing refugees.

If you want to discuss the refugee problem with people you meet, then begin by having the facts. Learn them up from this concise and readable book.

## Are You Sure?

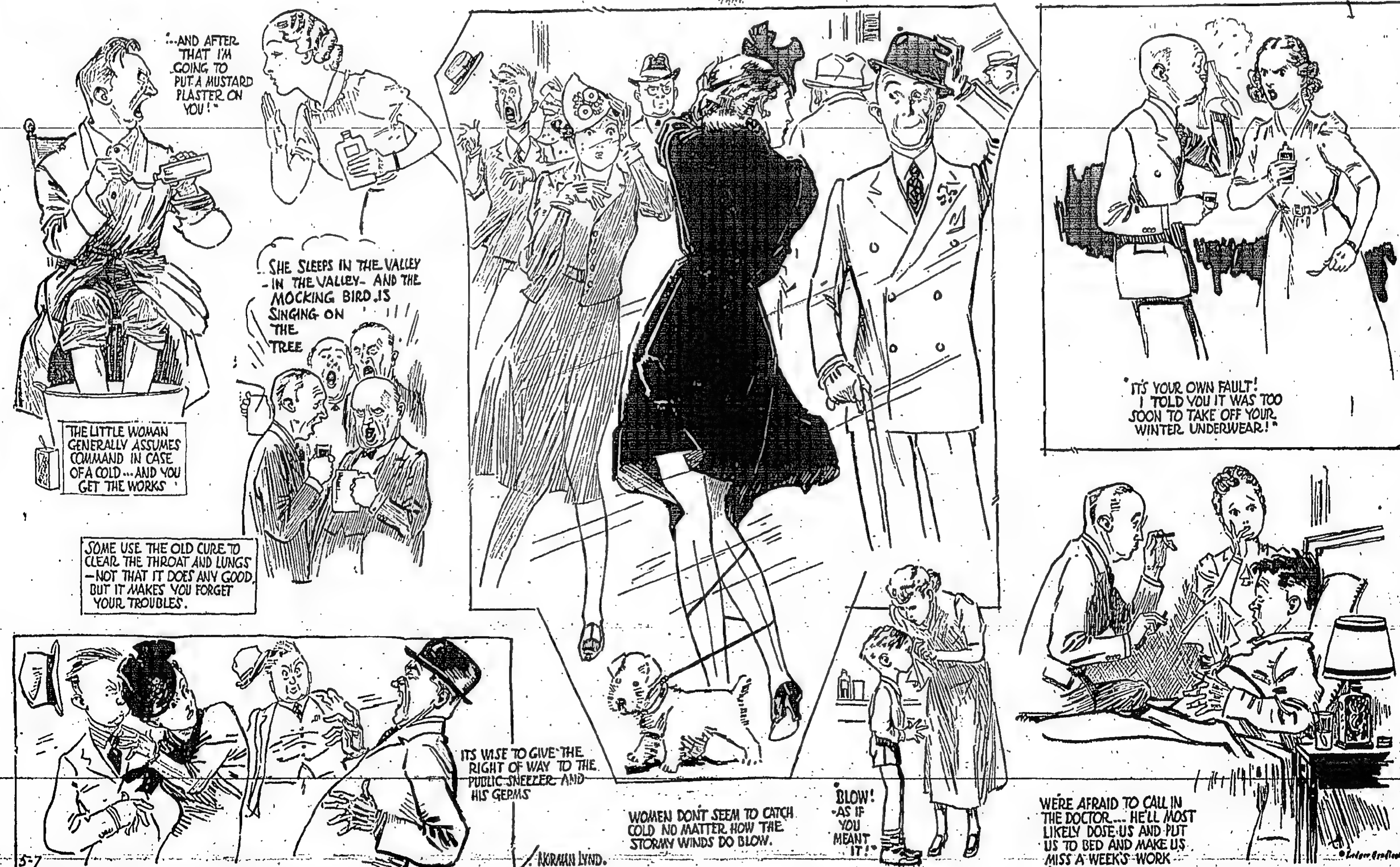
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## Canada To Help Refugees

VANCOUVER, B.C. Between 45 and 50 families of Catholic Sudeten Germans, refugees from strife-torn central Europe, will be settled on lands controlled by the Canadian Pacific Railway, the Provincial Minister of Lands, A. Wells Gray, announced.

# The Simple Cold



## VIGNETTES OF LIFE

By J. NORMAN LYND

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# Events and Personalities of the Week



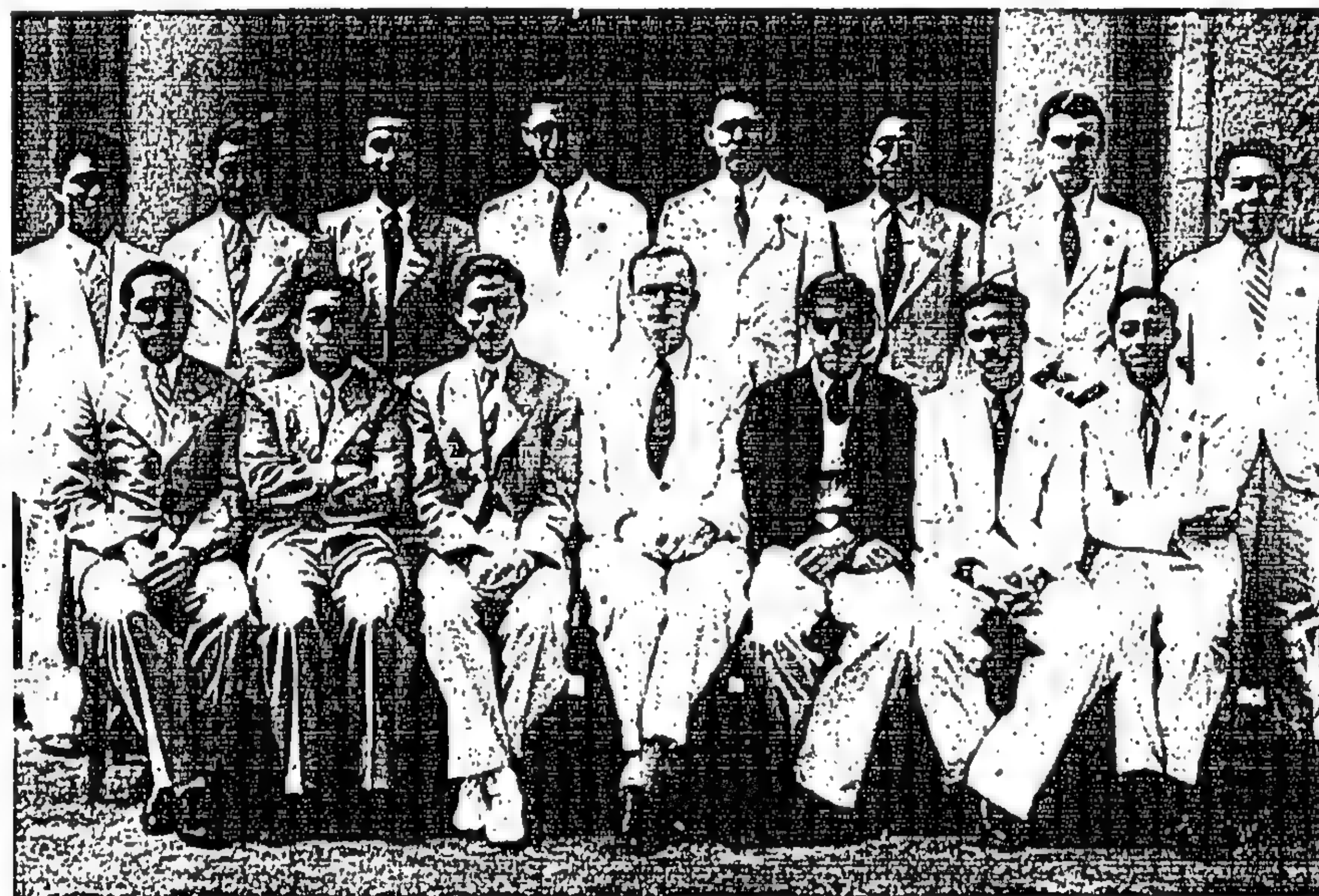
ROSARY CHURCH WEDDING. Group photograph taken after the recent marriage of Miss M. M. C. Engelbrecht, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Engelbrecht, and Mr. J. R. Sykes, of the Hongkong Water Police.—*Ming Yuen.*



KOWLOON WEDDING. Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Sykes leaving the Rosary Church after their recent wedding. The bride was formerly Miss M. C. C. Engelbrecht.—*King's Studio.*



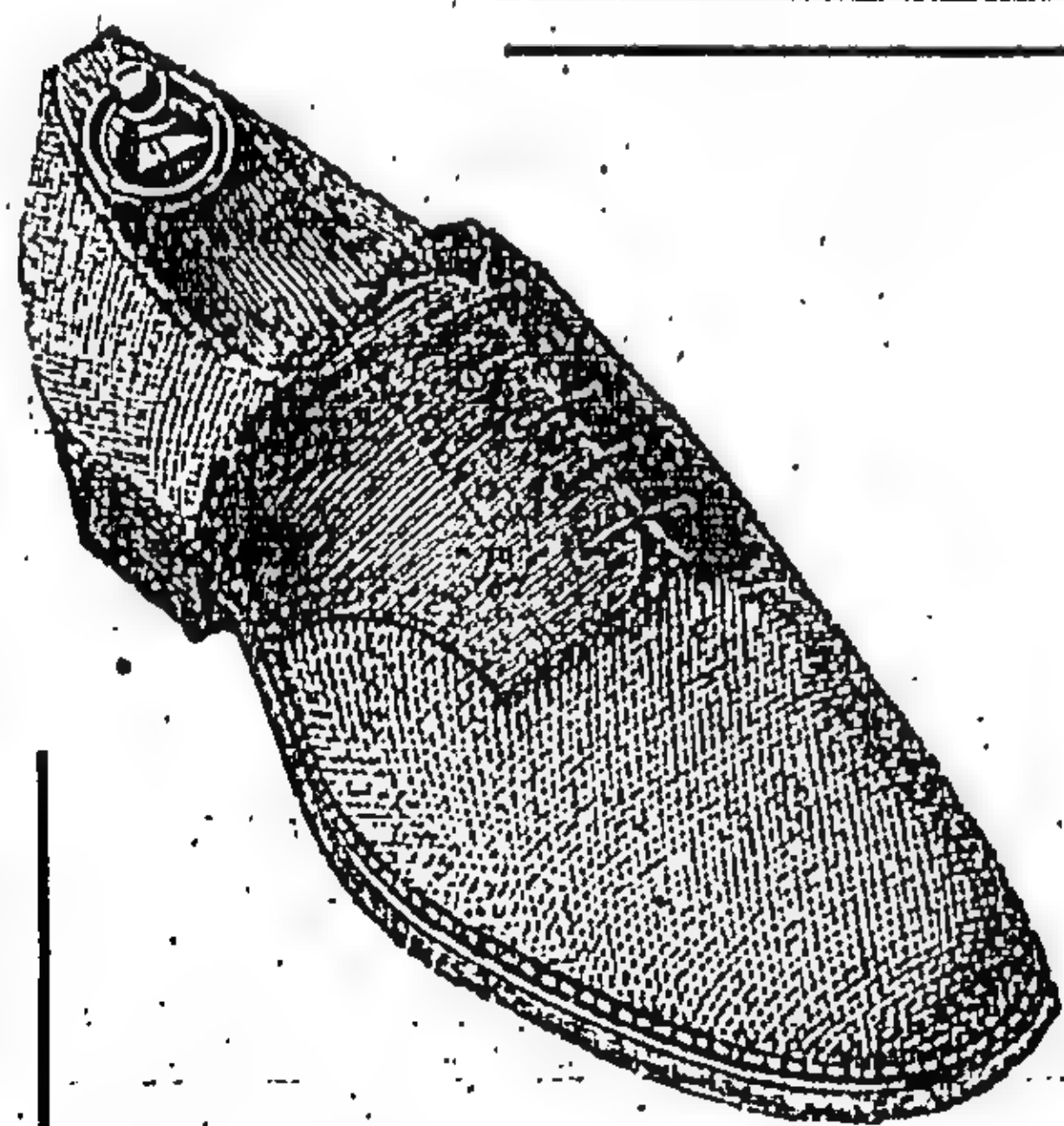
MR. SUNG TENG-MAN who was recently invested with the Medal of Imperial Service Order by H.E. The Governor.—*Ming Yuen.*



GROUP PHOTOGRAPH of the Prefects of the Diocesan Boys' School with their Headmaster, Mr. G. Goodban.—*King's Studio.*



CHINESE WEDDING. Mr. and Mrs. Cheng Chung-sam who were married recently at the Luk Kwok Hotel. The bride was formerly Miss Mary Shingho Tang.



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## OVERNIGHT NEWS PAGE

### Tripartite Defensive Alliance

Paris, May 26. The French Foreign Office has announced that the final text of the complete tri-Power alliance as formulated by Great Britain and France will be submitted to Russia.

From reliable sources the terms of the alliance are as follows:

1.—Each signatory will give automatic military aid in the event of direct aggression against another signatory.

2.—Automatic aid in the event of indirect aggression against any of the three Powers while protecting Poland or Rumania.

3.—Britain and France to automatically aid Russia in the event of conflict against Russia whilst protecting the Baltic States including Latvia, Estonia and Lithuania.—United Press.

#### PARIS WANTS QUICK REPLY

Paris, May 26. French Foreign Minister, handed to the Soviet Ambassador, the last draft of the Anglo-French proposal, the highlights of which were furnished to Moscow yesterday.

M. Bonnet urged a very prompt Russian reply, suggesting the advisability of making precautionary simultaneous announcements as soon as the Entente is decided.—United Press.

#### FRANCE AND BRITAIN AGREE

Paris, May 26. It is understood that the Government has approved the text of the British project for the Anglo-French-Soviet agreement. The text will be submitted to Moscow as a Franco-British plan.—Reuter Bulletin.

### Queen Mary's Progress

#### Receives Messages On Birthday

London, May 26. Queen Mary celebrated her 72nd birthday to-day. There was a steady stream of callers at Marlborough House who signed the visitors' book and inquired about the progress of the Queen, which was stated to be satisfactory, although the injury to the eye was healing slowly.

Hundreds of gifts and messages of congratulation have arrived at Marlborough House, including one from the King and Queen.—Reuter Bulletin.

#### BIRTHDAY PARTY OFF

London, May 25. The Princesses Elizabeth and Margaret Rose were in the pool in the grounds of Buckingham Palace to-day instead of going to a party to which Queen Mary had planned in anticipation of her 72nd birthday. The party has been cancelled owing to the motor accident in which the Queen was involved.

It is revealed that Albert Cooper, 26, the truck driver involved in the collision, has sent flowers to the Queen and has telephoned to learn her condition.—United Press.

#### GIFTS FOR PRINCESSES

London, May 26. Princesses Elizabeth and Margaret Rose have received two dolls sent by their Majesties from Canada. They also received two photo albums from an official of the Canadian Pacific Railway in London which had been subscribed for by every member of the crew of the Empress of Australia.—Reuter Bulletin.

#### COUNCILLORS OF STATE

London, May 26. The four Councillors of State, the Duke of Gloucester, the Duke of Kent, the Princess Royal and the Duke of Connaught, held a Privy Council yesterday and gave Royal assent to Acts of Parliament, which included the military reserve and auxiliary forces bill.—Reuter Bulletin.

### HONGKONG WEDDING

#### Sergeant J. Carley, R.A. And Miss Anne Shaw

The wedding was solemnised on Thursday at the Hongkong Union Church between Miss Anne Shaw and Sergeant John Carley, R.A. Rev. K. Mackenzie Dow officiating.

The bride, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Shaw, of 1420, Ashton Old Road, Manchester, wore a white tulle gown set off with a Juliet cap and tulle veil.

Blue Silk Gown. She was attended by Mrs. Stewart who was gown in blue silk. Her bouquet was composed of pale pink gladioli.

The bridegroom, who is the second son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Carley, of 63, Edinburgh Street, Belfast, Ireland, was accompanied by Sergeant R. Billingham as best man.

Major W. A. H. C. Morgan, R.A. gave the bride away. At the wedding ceremony, a reception was held at the R.A. Sergeants Mess, Lyceum.

## JAPANESE CRISIS ON ALLIANCE ISSUE

### Portugal Alliance

London, May 26. Asked by Mr. Arthur Henderson whether, in view of the recent specific re-affirmation by Dr. Salazar, Portuguese Premier, of Portuguese fidelity to their alliance with Britain, the Government would affirm their intention to fulfil their obligations under this alliance, Mr. Butler reaffirmed the Portuguese alliance.

He said that certain pre-war proposals regarding Portuguese territory were dead, and we have not the slightest intention of reviving them.—Reuter Special.

### Coastal Blockade

#### Developments

### Concern In House Of Commons

London, May 26. The Sages affair was raised again in the House of Commons by Mr. S. de Chair (Conservative, South West Norfolk), to whom Mr. Butler replied, "Representations for release have been made in London and Tokyo and we shall continue to press the Japanese Government to expedite a settlement of the case."

Mr. Butler said that he understood that the Japanese authorities claim to be still engaged in examining all the facts which they regard as relevant.

Mr. de Chair asked if the House could be assured that some really vigorous action be taken to secure the ship's release.

Mr. Butler recalled the Premier's statement that he regarded the situation as completely unsatisfactory.

"That is the Government's point of view," said Mr. Butler, "and we are pressing the case in that light."

Mr. Fletcher (Labour, Nuneaton), asked if the Government would consider refusing a clearance for some Japanese ship in a British port until the Sages is released.

Mr. Butler replied that every consideration would be borne in mind.—Reuter.

#### ARAMIS HOLD UP

Shanghai, May 26. The French liner Aramis arrived shortly after 6 p.m., and as soon as the vessel had docked the Captain left the ship without seeing newspaper representatives as he was in a hurry to make a personal report to Vice-Admiral Decoux, Commander-in-Chief of the French naval forces in the Far East, who arrived this morning from Amoy.

Passengers on the liner stated that Japanese naval men boarded the vessel and left after examining the ship's papers. They did not attempt to make any other searches or interfere with the ordinary activities of persons aboard the Aramis.—United Press.

#### RANPURA PROTEST

Shanghai, May 26. The Ranpura protest lodged to-day with Vice-Admiral Oikawa, Commander-in-Chief of the Japanese China Seas Fleet. The protest was contained in a note sent him by the local British naval authorities.

Previous protests had been made by Sir Robert Craigie to the Foreign Office in Tokyo and by Admiral Sir Percy Noble to the Commander of the Japanese Fleet in South China.—Reuter.

#### VERY SERIOUS VIEW

London, May 26. Mr. Butler in the House of Commons agreed with Mr. Henderson that such a blockade was contrary to the rule of international law.

Sir J. S. Wardlaw-Milne said he did not wish to add to the difficulties in the Far East, but what did Mr. Butler mean by saying the blockade of the Ranpura was of a routine character? He said he had never heard of circumstances which included the stopping and searching of British shipping by a foreign Power being described as "routine."

Mr. Butler replied, "What I said was that in the boarding of the ship no attempt was made to examine the manifest or cargo. The fact that the ship was boarded had received British Government denunciation."

Mr. Butler said that the boarding of the ship was a routine matter, and he was not providing British ships with protection.

Mr. Butler: "I can make no further statement to-day, but I can assure Mr. Fletcher that the Government takes a very serious view of this incident."—Reuter.

#### "MAKES NO DIFFERENCE"

Shanghai, May 26. Asked on what authority the Japanese proposed to enforce the blockade on ships bound for Hongkong, which is non-Chinese, a Japanese spokesman here said: "It makes no difference. It is on the China coast."—United Press.

### Cabinet Decide On Neutrality

Tokyo, May 26. It has been authentically learned that the Japanese Ambassadors at Berlin and Rome are indignant over the Japanese decision regarding European neutrality, expressing their preference to resign rather than transmit Japan's final policy to the Italian and German Governments.

The ancient contrivances their activities which favoured a tripartite military alliance, and they therefore believe that their usefulness is at an end.

At present, the Prime Minister, Baron Hiranuma, and the Foreign Minister, Mr. Arita are attempting to alter the views of the Ambassadors, but if they are unsuccessful, the resignations may be accepted.

If Ambassador Oshima, Germany, and Shiraori, Italy, resign this might entail the Foreign Ministry withdrawal, since foreign policy is involved in that event, the Foreign Office diplomat, Mr. Shigenori Togo, who is expected to return from Moscow very soon, might be appointed as Foreign Minister.

The difficulties with the Ambassadors explaining the full since last Saturday, when the Inner Cabinet reached a final decision regarding European policy. It was expected that details of the decision would soon be divulged, possibly in connection with the signing of the German military alliance on May 22.

However, it is not known that Ambassadors Oshima and Shiraori failed to convey that decision, explaining to Tokyo that Herr von Ribbentrop and Count Ciano were otherwise engaged and that conferences could not be arranged.

The present difficulties are a continuation of the protracted friction between Oshima's and Shiraori's efforts to involve Japan in the European situation and the Japanese Government's determination that Japan will not be involved outside of Asia.

Since last Saturday, various events have been lightened by the bare announcement that a decision had been reached. Government officials revealed that the decision did not agree with the Prime Minister's position, that Japan should avoid European entanglement unless the Soviets were involved. There was also a desire to continue the anti-Communist arrangement without further military commitments which explains the Government's auditory statements.

Those statements, while vague, declared that the Italo-German alignment was natural since they were geographically close, implying that Japan was not geographically near and should, therefore, avoid a similar alliance.

Since the army favoured a military alliance, there has been speculation of possible retaliation.

It has been learned that the Government expects some dissatisfaction but they do not anticipate serious trouble.—United Press.

#### FAR EAST AFFECTED

Tokyo, May 26. Even if the Far East is excluded from the scope of the projected Anglo-French-Soviet military agreement, it is destined to affect the Far Eastern situation in various ways, the Hsichi Shunghai Press says.

The newspaper believes that the effects of the proposed pact are already beginning to affect the Far Eastern situation as demonstrated in connection with the Kulungau affair.

The Kokumin Shimbun asserts that it is certain that the proposed triple pact will contain Far Eastern clauses and says that the stiff attitude shown by the Powers regarding the Settlement and Concession Issues in China, coupled with the "reckless" tactics of the Soviet forces on the Manchukuo border, will lead Japan to take "an extraordinary and firm determination" for the attainment of the objective of the China Affair.—Domei.

### JAPANESE BUDGET

Tokyo, May 26. The net figures of the Government budgets for the 1939-40 fiscal year consist of Yen 12,985,738,000 of income and Yen 12,728,621,000 of expenditures, the Finance Ministry announced.

The incomes show an increase of Yen 1,807,403,000 over those for the preceding year, while the expenditures exceed those for the previous year by Yen 1,780,145,000.

Included in the expenditures are Yen 8,123,621,000 in the general and special accounts and Yen 4,605,000,000 in the extraordinary account budget for the China Affair for the year from February, 1939, to January, 1940.—Domei.

No difference. It is on the China coast.—United Press.

#### EFFECT ON FUKIEN

Shanghai, May 26. A sudden drop in the provincial trade of Fukien, which has shown signs of picking up since the beginning of the current year, was noticed in April and May following extensive Japanese bombings and tightening of the coastal blockade.

During the first quarter of the year the total amount of Fukien's trade totalled \$28,311,137, representing an increase of \$5,652,559 over the last quarter in 1938, and an increase of \$10,024,559 over the same period last year.—Central News.

### Defences At Malta

London, May 26.

The large and rapid increase in the garrison of Malta and in the strength of its defences following Britain's announcement of a policy of guaranteeing support for certain other nations if attacked, was referred to in a speech by the Governor-General, Sir Charles Bonham-Carter, at an Empire Day Dinner.

After giving details of the increase in the garrison strength, the coast defences and the air defences, and of the shore Malta was being called upon to provide for local defence, he concluded that Malta is safe, and equally confidently that in a very short time she will be as strong that attacking her would be an undertaking of the utmost danger.—British Wireless.

### Chungking Raids

### Speeds Up Evacuation Of Capital

Shanghai, May 26. "Scores of picked Japanese naval aircraft" staged the fourth raid in May on Chungking about 8 p.m. last night, a communique issued by the Japanese Fleet Headquarters to-day revealed.

The air units, under command of Lt.-Commander Yamakami, while directing their major attention on the headquarters of the Chairman of the National Military Council in the eastern part of the city, bombed various military establishments. Fires were caused at various places.

Four Chinese pursuit planes took to the air and challenged the invading forces. One of the Chinese machines was shot down, while one Japanese plane, hit by anti-aircraft shells, crashed.

Intense anti-aircraft fire was shown from various parts of the city.

A separate squadron led by Lt.-Commander Iriha about 10 p.m. severely bombed the Chinese airfield at Kwangyangpa to the west of Chungking and demolished two hangars and a number of buildings attached to the aerodrome.

#### EVACUATION SPEEDED UP

Chungking, May 26. The air-raid last night has had the effect of speeding up plans for evacuation of the civilian population, large number of whom had flocked back into the city during the last week or two.

Once again the roads leading out of the city are swarming with thousands of families making off with all their portable belongings into the countryside.

The picture presented by the city is otherwise marked by stoical calmness. Shops and banks open in the early morning and late evening hours, but are closed during the middle part of the day.

At the moment there is no possibility of judging how far the Government has succeeded in its plan of reducing the population from 700,000 to 200,000, as most of the inhabitants seem to be on the move.

At least one of the Japanese planes was brought down in sight of Chungking. About five minutes after the raiders had made off through the evening mist, a red flame suddenly streaked the evening sky about 12 miles from the city. When the crowds caught sight of this sign of a burning plane they broke out into wild cheering.

In the first full night which followed the explosion of aerial bombs, detachments of troops began making their way to the scenes of destruction and were soon busy clearing up debris, removing the bodies of the dead and assisting the wounded.

First estimates place the number of casualties at 500. It seems, however, that on the whole little damage was done. Among the buildings hit were two of the city's leading banks. One bomb hit a tea-house, killed 20 persons.—Trans-Ocean.

#### BANKING DISTRICT SUFFERS

Chungking, May 26. The banking district appeared to be the objective of the Japanese bombing in Chungking last evening. This section of the city was not greatly affected by the previous bombings.

Twenty-seven Japanese bombers in three squadrons converged over Shensi Road from the west.—Reuter.

#### CHINESE CLAIM

Chungking, May 26. The Chinese officially claim that seven Japanese planes were shot down in the aerial combat with Chinese pursuit planes just before the Chungking raid last evening. The wreckage of four machines has already been located.—Reuter.

### London Reaction To FAR EAST INCIDENTS

London, May 26. Sir Gifford Fox asked if the Admiralty were satisfied that the British naval force in the Far East was sufficient to protect any aggression British trading ships on their lawful occasions and whether it was proposed to strengthen that force.

Mr. G. H. Shakespeare, Parliamentary Secretary to the Admiralty replied that provision of adequate naval protection for merchantmen in the Far East was receiving the Government's close attention, but it would not be in the public interest to disclose future dispositions of the fleet.—Reuter.

#### WANTS JAPANESE STATEMENT

In the House of Commons, Sir G. W. Fox (Conservative, Henley) asked the Government whether in view of the constant acts of aggression on British interests in the Far East, they would consider asking Japan for a clear definition of her intentions towards foreigners and their trade in China.

Mr. Butler replied that a request for more precise information was contained in a note of January 14 from the British Government to Japan. No reply had yet been received, but Sir G. W. Fox might rest assured that Lord Halifax would not lose sight of the point.—Reuter.

#### QUESTIONS IN COMMONS

London, May 26. Questions dealing with the stopping of the liner Ranpura have been addressed to the Government by Mr. Arthur Henderson, Sir Gifford Fox and Mr. S. S. de Chair.

Mr. R. A. Butler replying in the House of Commons to-day described the incident and referred to the protests made by Admiral Sir Percy Noble and Sir Robert Craigie. Mr. Butler added that the question of taking further action to protect British shipping from such interference was under consideration.

Mr. Henderson asked if the establishment of a blockade off the China coast, which the Japanese have declared it was their intention to institute, would not be quite contrary to the rules of international law. He further asked that if such a blockade were established would a naval escort be provided for British ships in Chinese waters to protect them from such unlawful interference.

Mr. Butler replied it was in view of such rumours that the question of further protecting British shipping was at present receiving urgent consideration.—Reuter.

#### REPRISALS LEGAL

Information as to the exact nature of the measures for the protection of British shipping are not obtainable, but their reality is undoubted, although nothing in the nature of a convoy system or of placing guards aboard British ships appears unpracticable owing to the extent of China waters and the number of ships involved and the limited resources of the Navy.

The Government is keenly surveying the whole situation in China. The best informed observers are of the opinion that the boarding of the Ranpura was partly due to the militarists' ill-temper at the rebuff encountered at Kulungau and partly their realisation that the war is not going well for Japan, the end appearing to be more remote than ever.

As this realisation deepens it is expected that Japanese interference is likely to become worse and worse. An authority on international law stressed the legal basis for reprisals by a country detrimental to the interests of another, provided they are of a similar nature and confined to the same plane.

In this connection it is understood the question of countering the Japanese restrictions on trade and currency in North China by consular certificates on all imports from these areas to prove they were purchased and financed in the free and open market is by no means pigeon-holed and is again being carefully considered.

It is understood that both Sir Robert Craigie and Mr. Grew in recent communications to Tokyo on the Shanghai question left no doubt in the Japanese mind of the Anglo-American attitude to any forcible interference in the Settlement's administration.—Reuter.

### French Ban On Japanese Goods

London, May 26. Mr. Butler, replying to a question as to the extent of the French prohibition on the importation of Japanese goods into French territory, referred to the Franco-Japanese notes of last year and the decree of last April, instituting a system of consular certificates.

He said, "It is quite clear that their object was to secure a guarantee for importation of French goods into Japan and for transfer of necessary exchange for payments. It would not be possible to say to what extent operation of these measures involved exclusion of Japanese goods. The British Government is closely watching the treatment of British trade interests in the territories under Japanese control, with a view to taking appropriate steps for protection if it might at any time appear necessary."

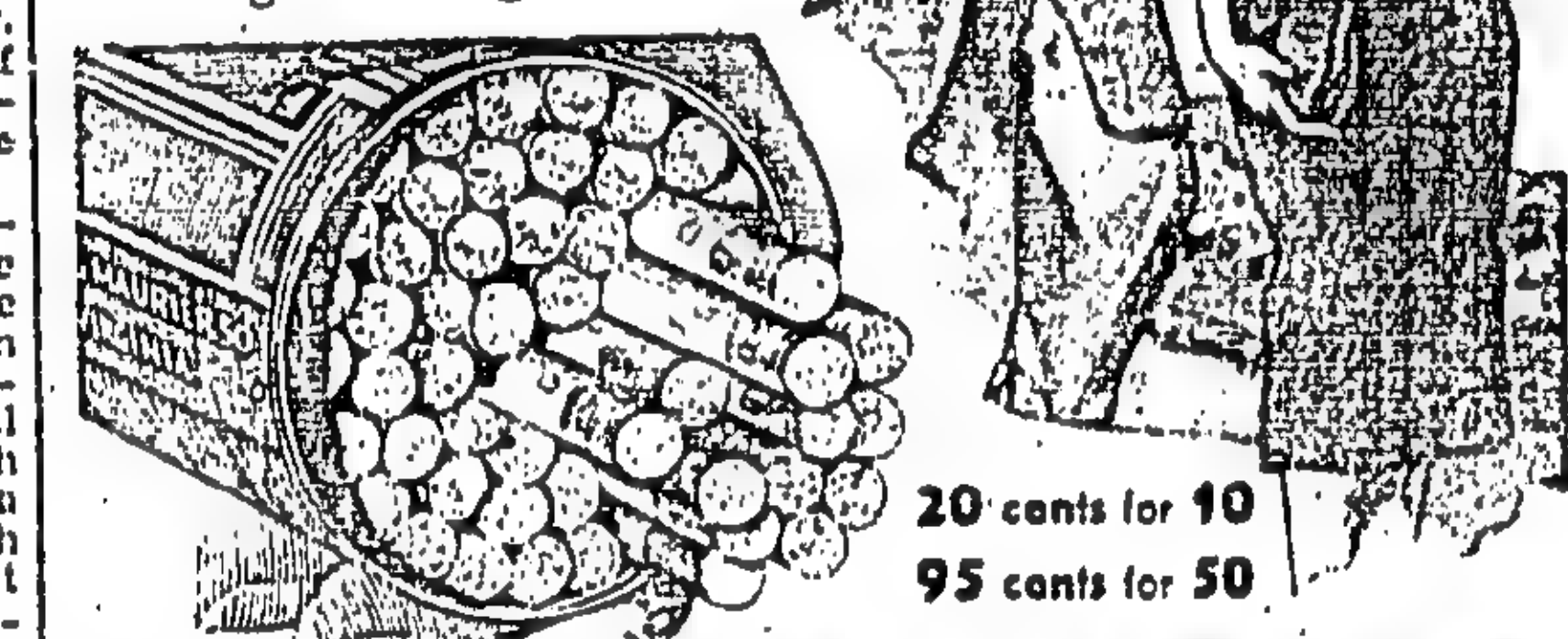
Mr. Henderson asked if it would not be better to act jointly with the French. Mr. Butler replied that there were certain difficulties, but the French measures were receiving the Government's close consideration.—Reuter.

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### Materials

4oz. of 4-ply wool. Original uses 2oz. blue and 2oz. white. A pair of No. 10 needles. A crochet hook. A china head and body. A few small artificial flowers.

### Abbreviations

K. knit, P. purl, st. stitch, sts. stitches, rep. repeat, stst. stocking stitch (1 row plain, 1 row purl), d.c. double crochet, ch. chain, tr. treble.

### Back

Using blue wool, cast on 50 sts. and work 1 row plain then work in following pattern:  
1st row. K. the first st., then K.2 together all along the row. 2nd row. \*K.1, putting the wool twice round the needle, then K. into the thread between the 2 sts. again putting the wool twice round needle. Rep. from \* to last st., K.1. putting wool twice round needle. 3rd row. K. dropping the loops made in the previous row. 4th row. Purl.  
These 4 rows from the pattern have been worked in all. Next row. K.1. \*K.2 tog Rep. from \* all along row. Following row, Purl. Next row. K.2 tog. all along the row. Next row. Purl.

Continue in stst. for 12 rows. With white wool and right side of work facing, pick up and knit all the

### Front

With blue wool, cast on 50 sts. and knit one row.  
Next row. K.2 tog. 9 times, join in white wool. K.2 tog. 12 times, join in another ball of blue wool, K.2 tog. 8 times, K.1.

Now continue in the pattern, keeping the centre 24 sts. in white, twisting the blue and white wool at the back when changing colour, for 13 patterns. Break off white wool. Continue to match back.

### To Make Up

Join the lining to the pattern skirt. Join bodice and catch shoulder together. Sew the sides of skirt together, leaving opening for handle in. from lower edge and 3 1/2 in. long in one side and open for spout 2 in. from lower edge and 2 1/2 in. long on other side.

Using the blue wool, work the following picot edge along the lower edge of the skirt: 1 s.c. into work \* 3 ch., 1 d.c. into first of the 3 ch., miss 1 st., 1 s.c. in next st. Rep. from \* all round.

Now work 4 rows of the same picot edging across the white front panel, leaving 3 patterns between each row.

Work picot edging round neck. Arrange the dress on the doll, stitching it in position at the waist where there are small holes in the china for this purpose.

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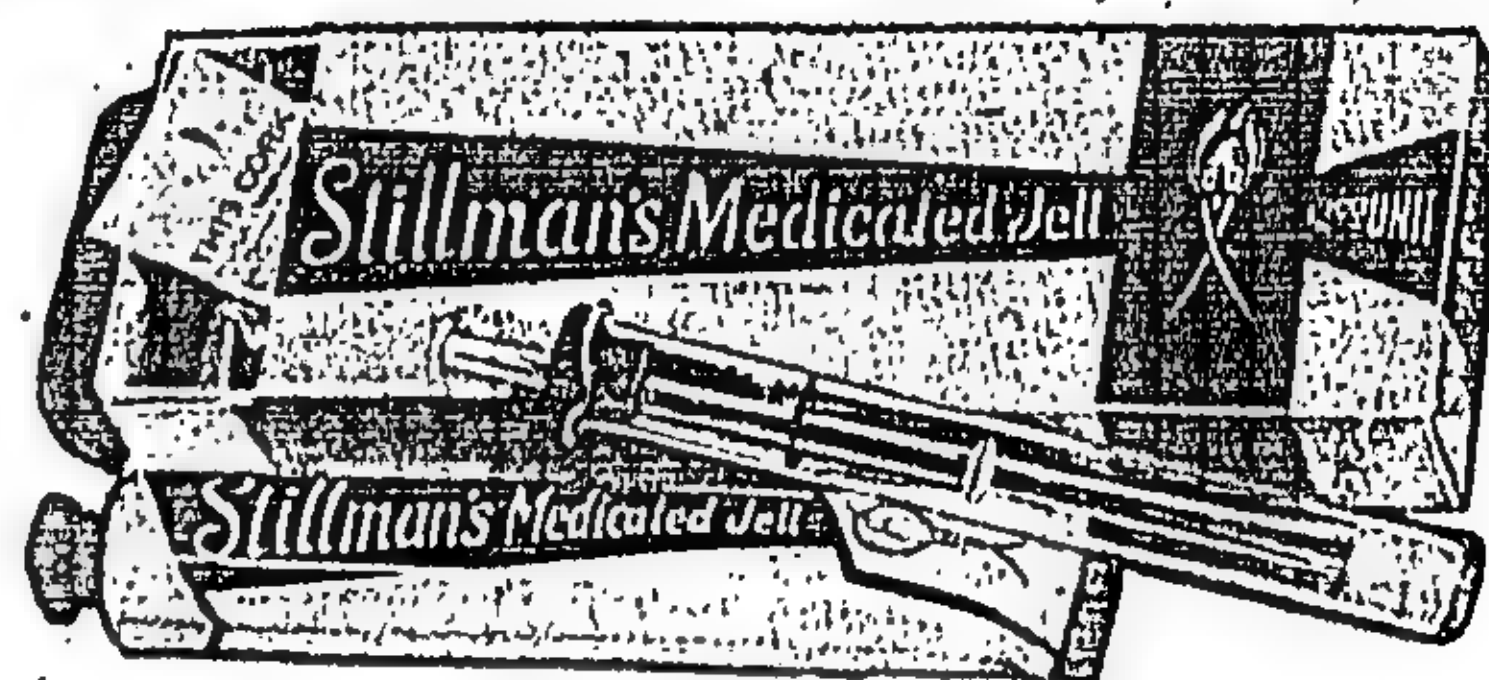
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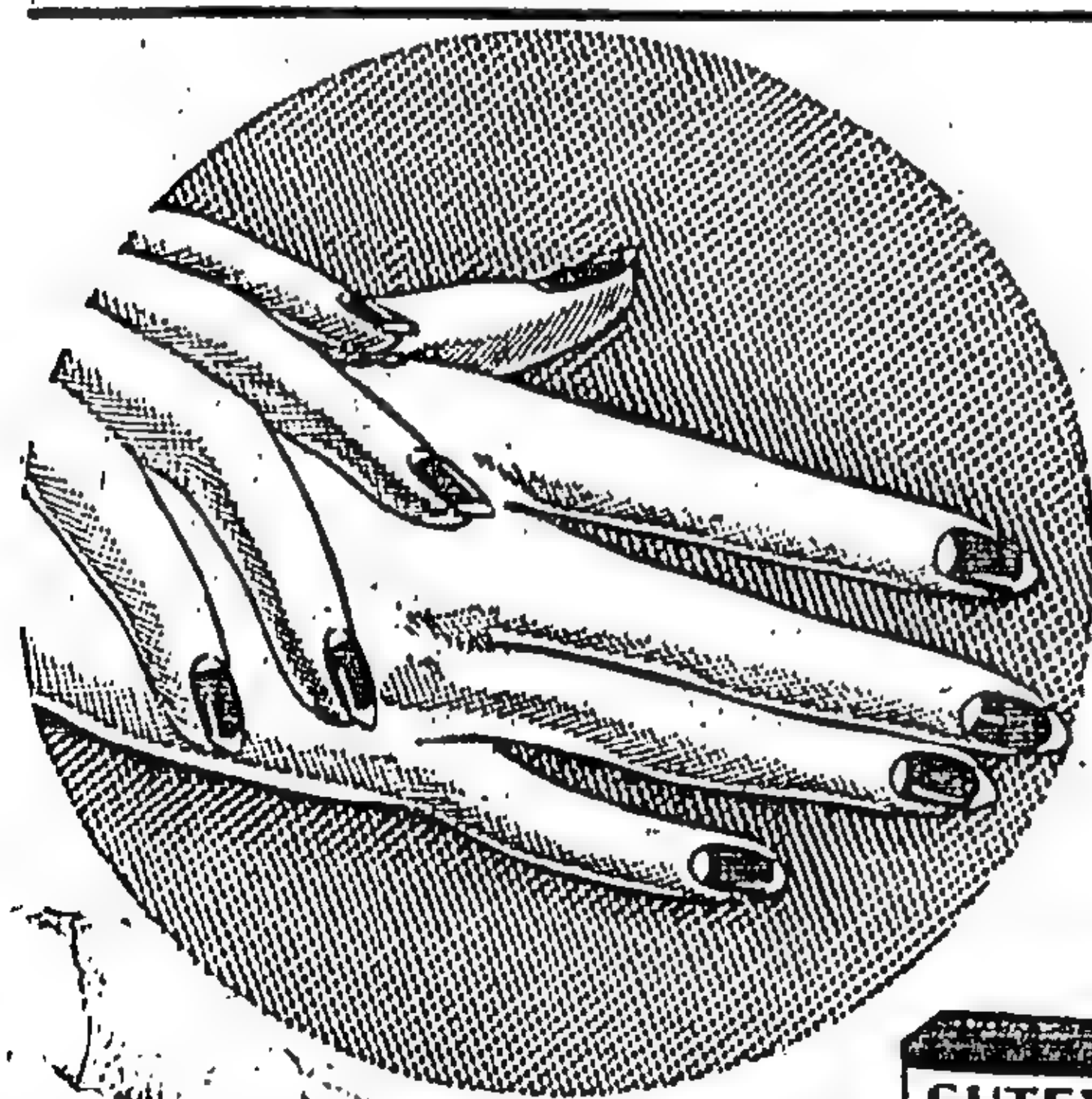
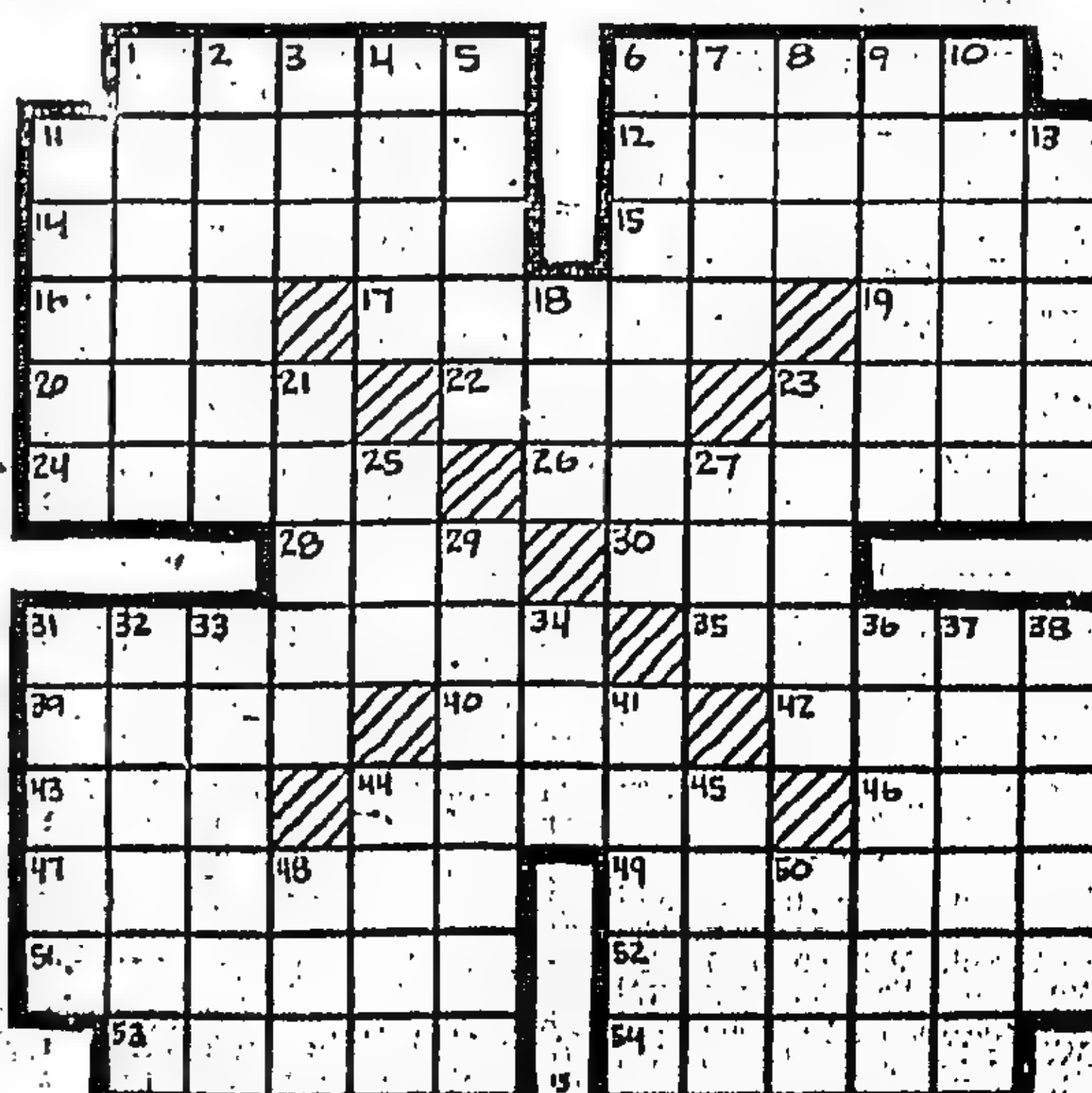
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2—American-born English deers	3—White metal	3—Mine entrance
11—Live	4—Made use of	4—End
12—More egotistic	5—Wild ass	5—Ladder steps
13—Issue of anatomy	6—One who tips	6—Large beetle
14—Wood-bearing animal	7—Swedish	7—Basement
15—More	8—Opposed	8—Rain and snow
16—Characteristic	9—Female deer	9—Olive
17—Procure	10—Lime down	10—Lime and lime
18—Light with heat	11—Vaccine	11—One of plant
19—Nothing	12—Corn bread	12—Man's name
20—Ancient British philosopher called "The Venerable"	13—Enlarged hole	13—Beal horse
21—Church council	14—Measure	
22—Wanted		
23—Mythical bird		
24—Joke		
25—Was in principal role		
26—Military prize		
27—Tag		
28—The Spanish plural		
29—Garment		
30—Before		
31—Unconsciousness		
32—Old horse		
33—Attack		



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## Refugees Pay £100 To Send Furniture

**HUNDREDS** of tons of furniture belonging to refugees from Germany and Austria are lying unclaimed in London because the owners are in Nazi concentration camps after trying in vain to reach England.

Many of them were detained after they had paid huge sums to German firms to send their personal belongings abroad.

Port of London officials said recently that each week an average of more than 700 tons of refugees' furniture, sealed with Nazi swastika badges, in four-ton packing cases, arrive by sea from Hamburg.

Packing cases, with Nazi and British Customs seals side by side, after standing unclaimed for a few days, are being moved to bonded warehouses, or to barges which store them in the London docks.

Seals put on by the Nazi authorities to stop the owners' exporting money or any other unpermitted goods appear to tell a story of German economies.

The British Customs seals of good solid lead are bound together by generous twists of strong wire. The Nazi seals are made of a cheap light alloy linked by thin white string.

### TWO WEEKS' WAIT

All such packing cases are supposed to be opened in the presence of a Customs officer at the address to which they have been sent. The demand for officers to go to various addresses to supervise the opening of furniture cases is so great that furniture arriving now cannot be opened and inspected for nearly a fortnight.

Mr. L. Woodbridge, partner in a firm of foreign removal contractors, said: "We handle an average of twenty lift-vans, or cases, and six ferry trucks—that is, 122 tons of furniture—a week, about one-sixth of the total furniture traffic to London. There is also a lot going to Hull and Grimsby."

"We often find that the furniture sent here cannot be collected because its owner has gone to a concentration camp. Refugees have told us

they pay anything they are asked in German money to get their furniture out.

"The German money is no good to them anyway because they cannot take it out of the country.

"German transport firms charge them from £30 to £40 just for the packing case alone. It costs them in German money anything from £100 to send furniture for which they can hardly get 30s. when it gets here."

### "A NEW BUSINESS"

At one wharf an official said: "There has been a terrific increase in this furniture traffic lately. Each week we get from sixty to a hundred cases weighing from three to five tons each, as well as between 1,000 and 1,500 smaller packages. The increase is so great that it represents almost a completely new line of business."

On some of the refugees' packing-cases landed near London Bridge were found printed labels with the Union Jack at one end and a British Fascist symbol at the other. In between were printed the words, "Mind Britain's Business." The labels were apparently stuck on before shipment from Hamburg.

The Nazi captain of a Hamburg steamer which landed nearly ninety tons of furniture one day told an English friend, "There are 2,000 packing cases standing along the docksides at Hamburg from all over Germany and Austria, waiting for a ship."

Hundreds of people stood on London Bridge recently looking at twenty-three huge packing cases that had the names of their owners painted on them in foot-high letters. These were some of the names: Zdenko Dworak, Wein; Gustav Knauer; Harry W. Hamacher; Alexander Philipp; Walter Schneider; Wilh-Grassow.

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## Recruit Measured By Ladder

**WHEN** 21-years-old David Thomas Smith, of Kingston-street, Walworth, S.E., presented himself as a recruit at the depot of the 7th Queen's Regiment, Territorials, recently he almost upset the depot's organisation.

David is 6ft. 11in. in height. The official measuring stand at the depot stops at 6ft. 6in.

He was measured finally against a wall. A corporal stood on a ladder to make the mark.

David, who is known to his friends as "Tiny," will have to wait for his uniform. The quartermaster could find nothing to fit. Everything will have to be specially made.

"I decided to do my bit like the rest," he said.

"I am used to being chaffed about my height—I was 'Lamp-post' at school—so I don't mind being taller than the rest of my new pals in the Terriers."

"My father served through the war. He has given me a German bugle which he picked up on the battlefield at Beaumont Hamel as a memento of my enlistment."

Then David's father let out a "secret."

"It is not my son's first experience of the Army," he said. "He ran away and joined the Guards when he was 15 and drew a man's pay for four months before he was found to be under-age. Then he was discharged."



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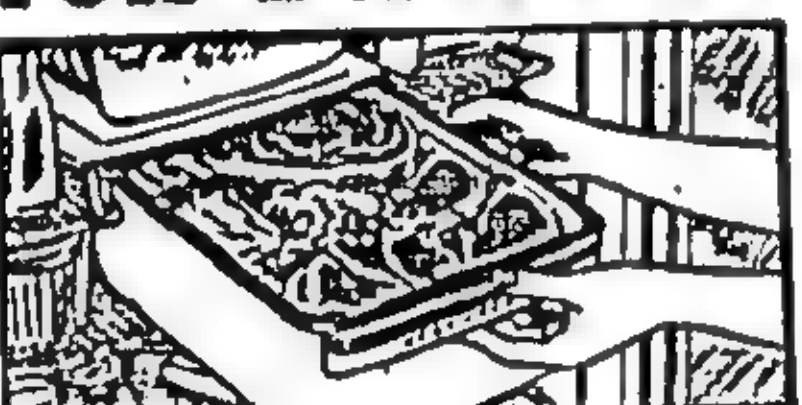
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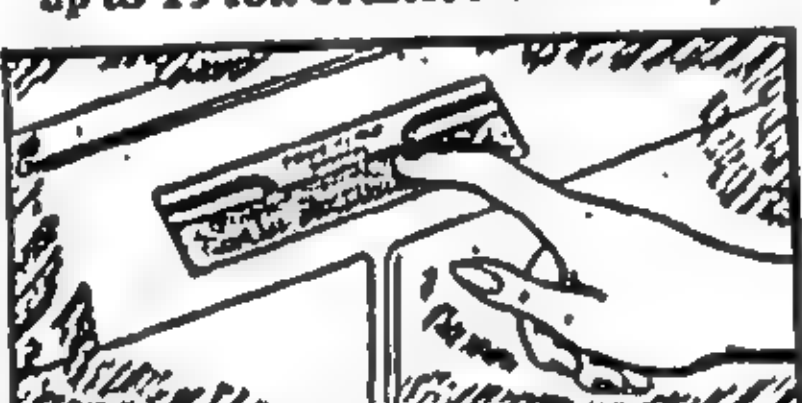
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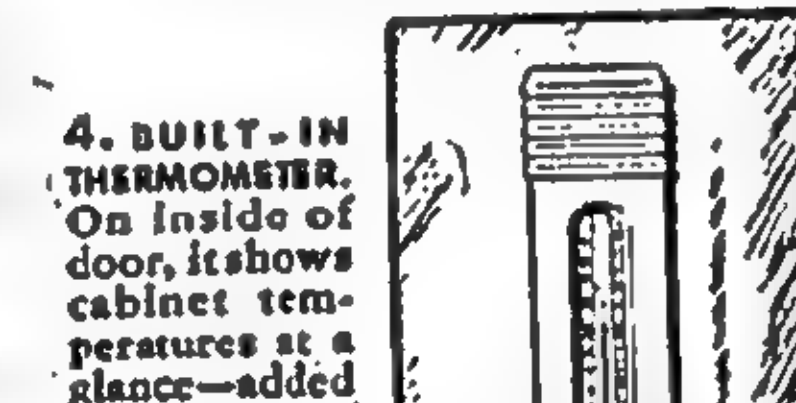
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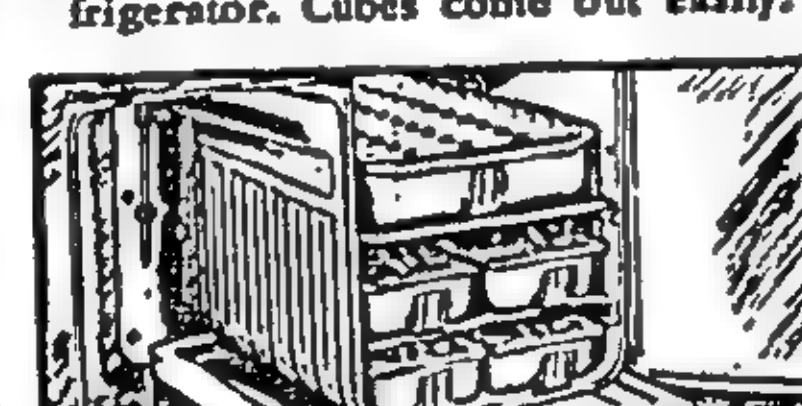
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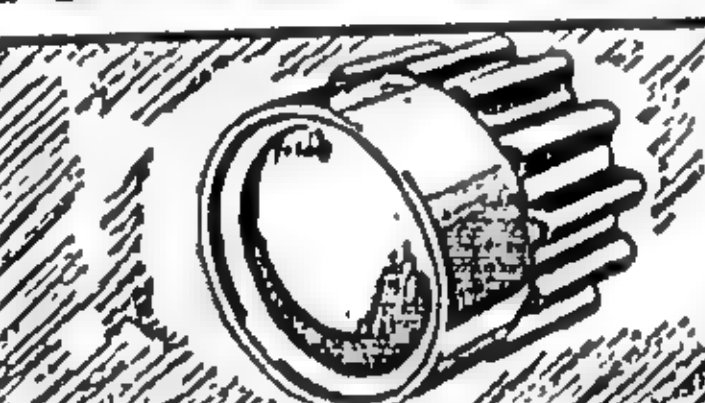
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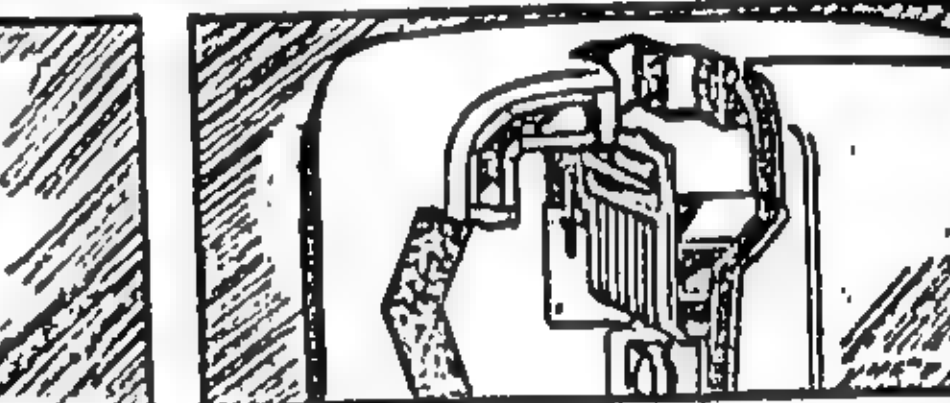
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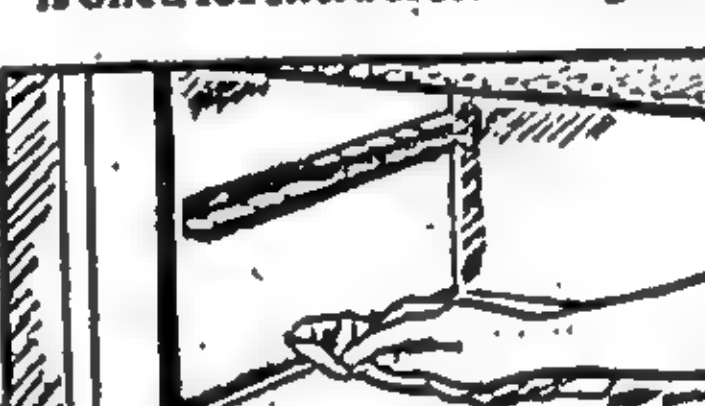
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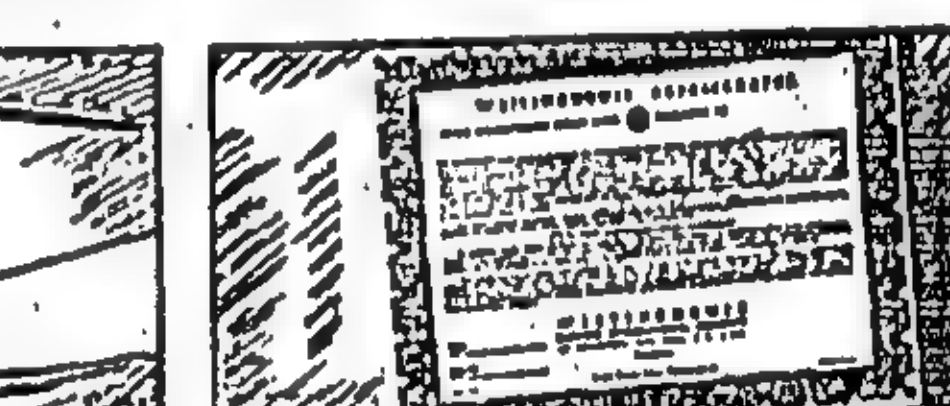
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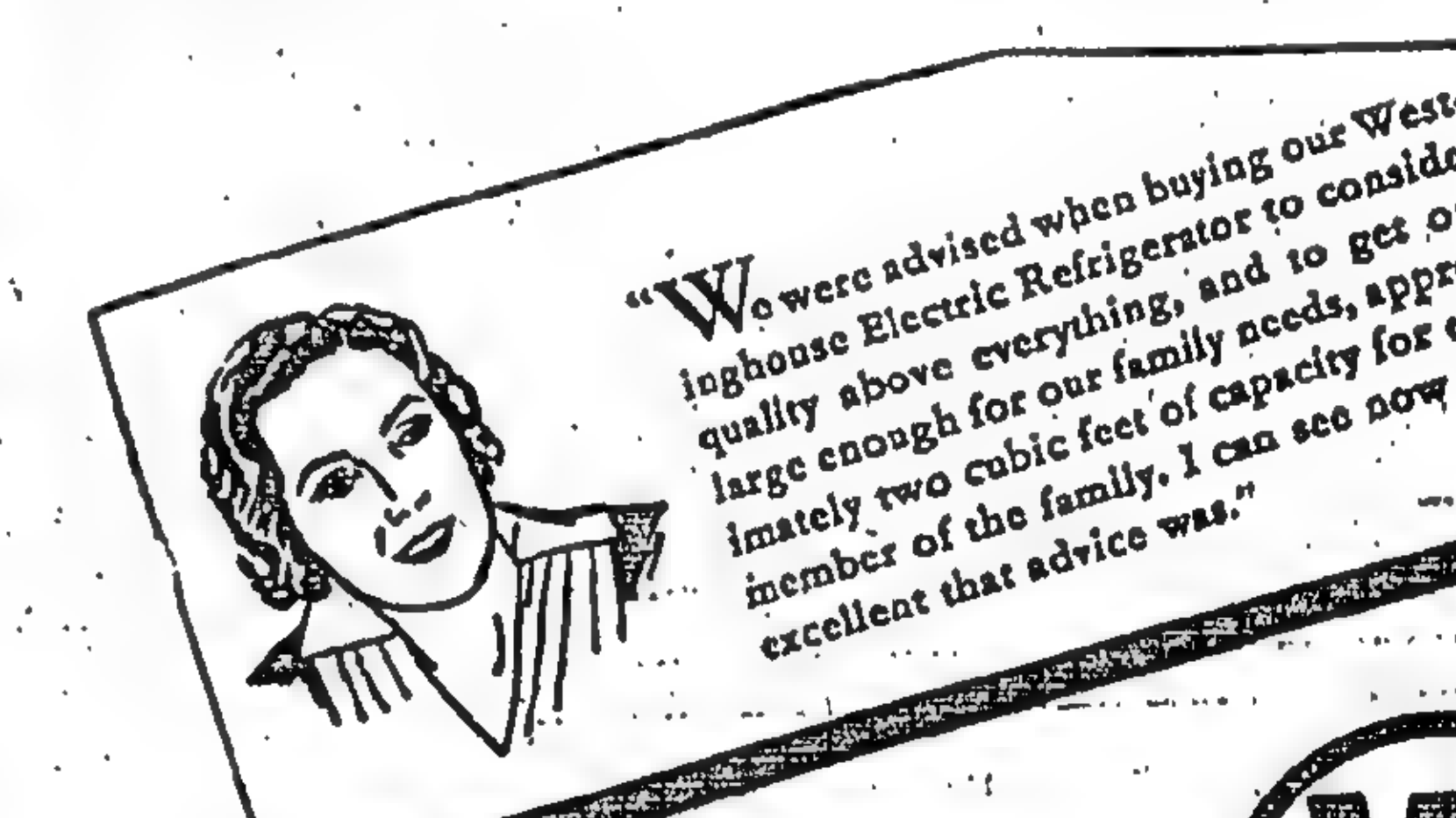
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# TWO GAMES FOR SOUTH CHINA IN BASEBALL LEAGUE

## SCHEDULE MADE TO FIT WITH PRESENCE OF U.S.S. MINDANAO

(By "Bingle")

South China Athletic Association have the toughest assignment over the week-end, as they are playing two games. Since the Baseball League has made up the schedule to fit in with the presence in this port of U. S. S. Mindanao, this unfortunate circumstance,—in which a team plays one game on a hot Saturday afternoon and another on an equally torrid Sunday morning—cannot be helped.

After an unruffled schedule last year, without a game being postponed on account of rain, last week-end's weather was the weatherman's first interruption in a long, long spell. I'm afraid conditions this year will be similar to those of the seasons of '38 and '37, when we didn't know whether we were a-foot or on horse-back.

However, weather permitting, South China and Union Brewery will clash at Caroline Hill to-day at 2.30 p.m. Both teams are rarin' to go, with the edge on "Beer Baron" Bennett's Beermen, who have won two and lost none. On the crest of a winning wave, the UB boys feel that this game is another push-over but—I don't know! They shouldn't underestimate C. C. Lee's stalwarts, who are all good leather players.

Lam Hwa, who lambasted Johnny Alvarez's speed balls—but couldn't even see Spitz Perera's roundabouts—shouldn't massacre Madson Arculli's straight pitching. That there are so few hits off Arculli has been a source of bewilderment to this correspondent. Perhaps batting eyes haven't been attuned to the atmospheric conditions out at Caroline Hill. There are so many muffed and misjudged flies out there that are blamed on the sun. Tchik! Tchik!

**DISORGANISED TEAMS**  
The Chinese Baseball Club take on Club de Recreio in to-morrow's opener at 10 a.m. Both teams are apparently disorganised until this season. The Chinese are without a leader, while the Hambling Recs have changed their leadership this season. But, before the season ends, I have a hunch that the Chinese Baseballers will find themselves, and really go to town. They have two good hurlers in Earl Wong and Wally Ching, and diminutive Nip Lum has already proved his mettle behind the plate, while versatile Wally can also fill the bill as back-stop. Veteran Tommy Chan, who starred for a few seasons with China's baseball squad in the Far Eastern Olympics, is their logical leader, in my mind.

The Hambling Recs, who are also seemingly unable to get started, have good material to work on. They certainly miss Eddie and Linho Gossano. In their tussle with South China a couple of weeks ago, they out-hit their opponents 9 to 8, but came out on the short end of a 7 to 5 verdict. Their hits were scattered, of course, and six were left on bases. A little more "umph" and they'd have won the game!

I give the edge to the Chinese squad in this tilt.

**LEE'S TASK**  
South China's clash with the Hong-kong Baseball Club in the nightcap to-morrow at 11.30 a.m., will find the former aggregation a somewhat tired outfit. They have only the one slubman, C. C. Lee, to rely on, and I doubt if he can pitch two days in

### Harvey-McAvoy Bout Now Postponed

London, May 26.

The fight between Len Harvey and Jock McAvoy for the world's cruiserweight championship, which was fixed for June 22, has now been postponed as McAvoy is having a boil on his right side.—*Reuter*.

### Golf

## AMERICA'S LAST HOPE VANISHES

London, May 26.

America's last chance of winning the British Amateur Golf Championship now in progress at Hoylake vanished in the semi-finals to-day when the Scotman, Alex Kyle, defeated "Bill" Holt, of Syracuse, by two and one after Holt had earlier defeated young Kenneth Thom in a sparkling match by three and two.

Anthony Duncan, the Welsh champion, is the other finalist. After beating Dick Chapman, conqueror of Charles Yates, by five and three, Duncan went on to beat Charlie Stowe by three and two in the semi-finals. The final will be played on Saturday.—*United Press*.

succession. If he can, he'll be "Iron Man" Lee from now on. As it is, flinging a 7-inning game in this heat leaves a pitcher pretty well pestered out. But... fourteen innings! Whew!

Last week's pop rally has given the Molthenmen plenty of confidence, and they feel they're due for their first win. The Hongkongites will be augmented by the presence of flashy infielder Honorato Paulino who switched his affections over to this Club after being released by the Union Brewery two weeks ago.

Larry Lawrence and Dave Walker will again be the battery for the Molthenmen, and they have shown improvement during practice sessions. "Colonel" Dave Walker says that he has the Indian sign on those base-runners with larceny in their hearts. We shall see what we shall see!

## Three West Indian Batsmen Score Centuries



Here's the "Black Bradman," otherwise George Headley, star batsman of the West Indian cricket team now touring England. He is expected to make a lot of runs this summer.

## TOURISTS DEFEAT OXFORD BY AN INNINGS: ESSEX ALSO WIN

### Results Of Matches In Brief

Middlesex (402 and 8-1) defeated Hampshire (183 and 224) by nine wickets.  
Gloucester (353) beat Warwickshire (181 and 156) by an innings and 16 runs.  
Lancashire (464-8 decld. and 243-6 decld.) beat Leicestershire (361 and 294 for 8) on first innings.  
Glamorgan (162 and 170-4) beat Northants (191 and 138) by six wickets.  
Essex (406) beat Sussex (149 and 244) by an innings and 13 runs.  
West Indies (480-7 decld.) beat Oxford University (232 and 243) by an innings and five runs.  
Yorkshire (350-2 decld. and 104-1) beat Cambridge University (94 and 369) by nine wickets.

Middlesex, Gloucester, Glamorgan and Essex won their matches in the County Cricket Championship programme which concluded to-day. Lancashire beat Leicestershire on first innings, while both the Universities were defeated, Oxford by the West Indians and Cambridge by Yorkshire.

The West Indians seem to have got into their stride with the advent of warmer weather. Batting only once against Oxford, they declared at 480 for seven wickets—the highest total of the programme. Three batsmen, H. P. Bayley (104), J. H. Cameron (106) and E. A. V. Williams (126 not out) helped to swell the score.

Helping Yorkshire, N. W. D. Yardley, last year's captain of Cambridge, scored 140 not out against his former team-mates and was to

### Baseball

## CARDINALS BEATEN BY BRAVES

New York, May 26.

The following were the results of matches played in the Major Baseball League to-day:

### NATIONAL LEAGUE

	R	H	E
Pittsburg	14	17	0
Batteries, Tobin, Brown and Berres			
Chicago	5	11	4
Batteries, Lee, Lillard, Harrell, Russell, Mancuso and Garbarik			
Boston	7	11	2
Batteries, Walters and Lombardi			
St. Louis	5	10	1
Batteries, Warnke, Shoun, P. Dean, McGee, and Owens, Franks			

### AMERICAN LEAGUE

	R	H	E
Chicago	2	10	1
Batteries, Dietrick, Brown and Tresh			
Cleveland	1	11	2
Batteries, Harder, Dobson and Pytlak			
Philadelphia	0	6	0
Batteries, Phippen and Brucker			
New York	1	4	1
Batteries, Hilderbrand and Dickey			
Washington	2	9	1
Batteries, Leonard and Guillani			
Boston	4	10	2
Batteries, Rich, Heving and Desautels.— <i>United Press</i>			



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a great extent responsible for Yorkshire's victory by nine wickets. Results and details of matches are cabled by *Reuter*.

### LEADING PERFORMANCES

The leading individual performances were:

**BATTING**  
W. R. Hammond (Gloucester) v. Warwickshire ..... 192\*  
Paynter (Lancashire) v. Leicester ..... 159  
Nichols (Essex) v. Sussex ..... 140  
Compton (Middlesex) v. Hampshire ..... 143  
N.W.D. Yardley (Yorkshire) v. Cambridge ..... 140  
E.A.V. Williams (West Indies) v. Oxford ..... 126\*  
J. H. Cameron (West Indies) v. Oxford ..... 106  
A. H. Broadhurst (Cambridge) v. Yorkshire ..... 106  
H. P. Bayley (West Indies) v. Oxford ..... 104  
Hutton (Yorkshire) v. Cam-

## To-day's Badminton "At Home"

If this morning's rain continues, the Hongkong Badminton Association "At Home," arranged to be held in the ground of St. Andrew's vicarage, will take place in the Church Hall. The function will start at 4.30 p.m. with tea, after which the season's prizes will be distributed.

bridge ..... 102  
Iodon (Lancashire) v. Leicester 100  
\*Denotes not out

**BOWLING**  
Goddard (Gloucester) v. Warwickshire ..... 6 for 66  
Bugsell (Northants) v. Glamorgan ..... 5 for 38  
Robinson (Yorkshire) v. Cambridge ..... 5 for 80  
Bowes (Yorkshire) v. Cambridge ..... 4 for 31

## "Capt. Foster" Selects The Following:

(By "Captain Foster")

There are nine races down for to-day's meeting and my selections are as follows:

## Selections Made By "Early Bird"

The following selections are made by "Early Bird" of the S. C. M. Post:

- 1st Race**  
Courtney Eve  
Snowy River  
Criffel
- 2nd Race**  
Conquering Time  
Jennifer  
Moonlight View
- 3rd Race**  
Markman  
King Kong  
Celtic Star
- 4th Race**  
Double Chance  
Night View  
Ebony Idol
- 5th Race**  
King's Privilege  
Toronado Star  
Vixen Tor
- 6th Race**  
Just In Time  
Jobber  
Avon
- 7th Race**  
Sports Venture  
Talkative  
Gallant Marshal  
Baffin Bay  
Janber  
Ruby Star
- 8th Race**  
Some Hope  
Guinness Time  
Kut Cheung  
Daily Double  
King's Privilege & Sports Venture

### BONDI HANDICAP

Courtney Eve  
Snowy River  
Double Chance

### LEAD MINE HANDICAP (FIRST SECTION)

Jennifer  
Hectic View  
Red Feather

### WHITSUN HANDICAP

Markman  
King Kong  
Celtic Star

### SHATIN HANDICAP (FIRST SECTION)

Dekko  
Double Chance  
Night View

### SPENCER HANDICAP

Criffel  
Blandford  
Vixen Tor

### LEAD MINE HANDICAP (SECOND SECTION)

Just In Time  
Jobber  
Avon

### STONECUTTERS PLATE

National Honour  
Opening Bateman  
Gor

### WARWICK FARM HANDICAP

Janber  
Ajax  
Baffin Bay

### SHATIN HANDICAP (SECOND SECTION)

Some Hope  
Heddon  
Magog

### DAILY DOUBLE EVENT

Criffel/National Honour

## BRITAIN LEADS IN DAVIS CUP

## Hare And Wilde Win Doubles

London, May 26.  
Great Britain took the lead to-day in the Davis Cup tie against France when Charles Hare and F. H. D. Wilde won the doubles match against

## Tennis Tournay At K.C.C. To-morrow

Weather permitting, an American tennis tournament will be held at the Kowloon Cricket Club to-morrow afternoon, starting at 3 o'clock.  
Yvon Petra and Pierre Peilizza by 6-3, 6-3, 3-0, 4-0 and 6-3.  
The Frenchmen led 3-1 in the first set but the Englishmen recovered well. Hare and Wilde were erratic in the third and fourth sets, but their understanding was regained in the fifth. Wilde finishing the match with a love game.—*Reuter*.

## Dunn Scores A Triple Win

Sydney, N.S.W., May 5.  
D. B. Dunn, the young Sydney University champion athlete, and Australia's prospective Olympic representative, had a triple win here after only three weeks' training following an appendix operation.

At the Sydney University athletic championships Dunn won the 100 yards in 10½ seconds, the 220 yards in 22½ seconds, and the broad jump with a leap of 22ft. 4 in.

## Armstrong Splits Bone In Thumb

London, May 26.  
After an examination, the doctor reported that Henry Armstrong, who retained the welterweight boxing title against Ernie Roderick on Thursday evening, has split a bone in his left thumb.—*United Press*.

## Billiards Match

H.M.S. Kent beat the European Y.M.C.A. at billiards yesterday at the Y.M.C.A. The scores were as follows: Y.M.C.A. names first.  
Timms 150, Fletcher 117; Sykes 180, Grey 127; Furson 101, Gratton 150; Champlowder 100, George 100; Kent 540, Y.M.C.A. 509.  
**Snooker**  
A snooker match was also played, ending in a win for the Y.M.C.A.  
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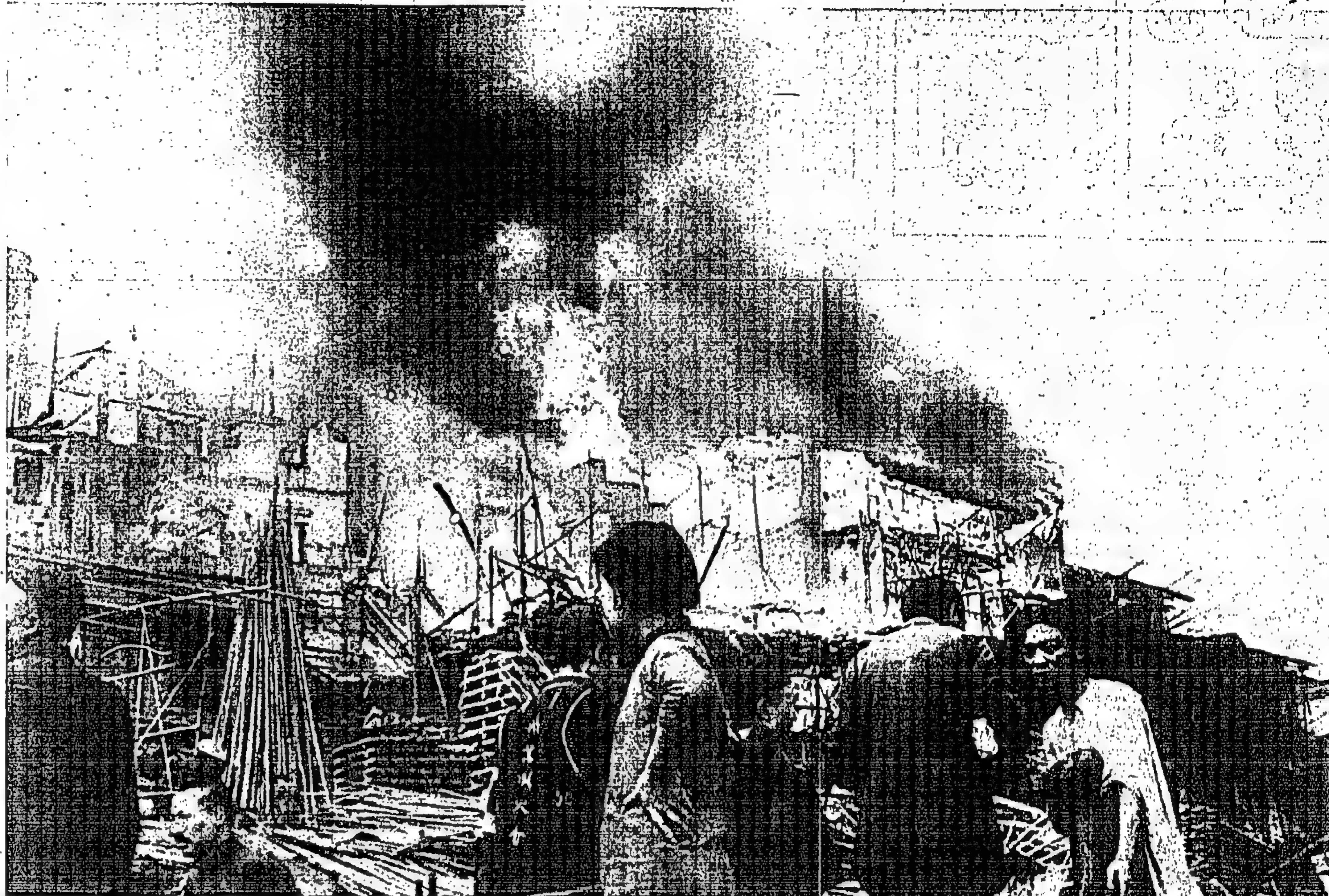




# CHUNGKING TRAGEDY



ATTEMPTING to stem the flames with a thin trickle of water from the shattered city mains, Chinese boy scouts assisted volunteer firemen in fighting the flames.



## TRAGEDY IN A WAR-TORN CAPITAL

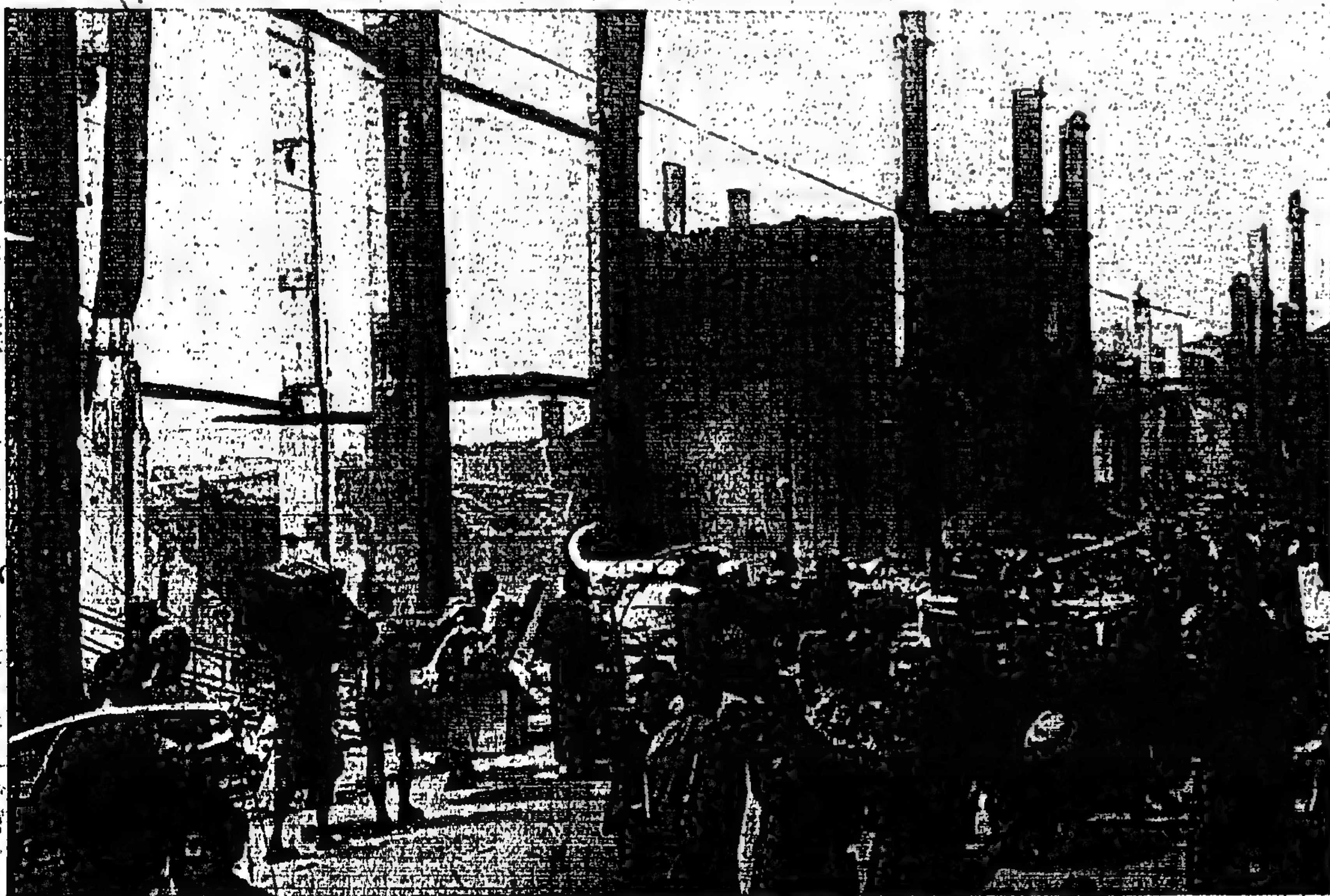
THE EXCLUSIVE photographs reproduced on this page graphically illustrate the horrors of modern warfare, and are of added interest in view of the renowned aerial bombardment of Chungking on Thursday.

The photograph ABOVE shows the great fire raging in the heart of the city after the raid on May 5, when 1,800 people died. RIGHT shows flames started by incendiary bombs spreading rapidly through the business area of the city.

These photographs, which are exclusive to the "Telegraph" in Hongkong, were flown here by plane and are reproduced for the first time.



DESOLATION IN Chungking's main street. An awe-inspiring photograph, illustrating more graphically than words the utter horror and tragedy of modern warfare. Hundreds of people were buried in these ruins.



ALL THAT REMAINED of the main street of Chungking after the May 5 raid. The flames swept right across the city, completely razing the main business area.



TERRIFIED Chungking civilians camping out in the open as they await means to leave the doomed capital. Half-a-million were evacuated in five days.



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H. K. T. 12.00-12.20 p.m. Relay of Service of Intercession from St. John's Cathedral.  
12.30 Herbert Groh (Tenor) and Orchestra. Love—Waltz Melodies (Lehar); Moonlight On The Danube—Waltz (Byron Gay)... Orchestra. Mascotte; The Stars are gleaming (Leux-Hannes-Balz); To-day I Found My Happiness—Waltz Song (Opereite Wedding in Samarkand)... Herbert Groh (Tenor) with Orchestra. (Sung in German); In Dreamy Night—Waltz (from The Vagabond—Zichner); Evening On The Rhine—Waltz (Willy Richartz)... Orchestra. Mascotte; You Lovely Ladies (Bund-Sieger); Because I Love You, Bella Lucia (Leenen-Mahler-Schuler)... Herbert Groh (Tenor) with Orchestra. (Sung in German); Joyful Passions—Waltz (Georges Rozigade); Souvenir De Monna Lisa—Waltz (Schebeck)... Orchestra. Mascotte.  
1.00 Local Time Signal, and Weather Report.  
1.03 Marek Weber and His Orchestra with Stuart Robertson (Baritone). Reminiscences Of Grieg (arr. Urbach)... Marek Weber and His Orchestra; That Song In My Heart (film 'The Gang Show'); Dolores (film 'Millions')... Stuart Robertson (Bass-Baritone) with Orchestra and Male Chorus; Chinese Fairy Tales (Chorus); The Temple Of The Bulls (Study from Peking—Yoshitomo)... Marek Weber and His Orchestra; Limehouse Rench (Proctor-Gregg); The Spanish Lady (Hughes)... Stuart Robertson (Bass-Baritone) with Orchestra.  
1.30 Reuter and Rugby Press, Report and Announcements.

## TO-DAY'S BROADCAST

Kent Male-Voice Quartette From the Studio

Weather Forecast and Announcements.

1.40 Cicely Courtneidge and Noel Coward in Musical Comedy. Keep It Under Your Hat (from 'Under Your Hat'—Hulbert) and Cicely Courtneidge, Jack Hulbert and The Rhythm Boys, with Orchestra; The Empire Depends On You (from 'Under Your Hat'—Ellis)... Cicely Courtneidge (Vocal) with Orchestra; The Love Parade—Selection... Jack Payne and His B. B. C. Dance Orchestra; We Were Dancing (from 'Night at 8.30'—Coward); Farlan (Coward)... Noel Coward (Vocal) with Orchestra; 'Bitter Sweet'—Selection (Coward)... Jack Hylton and His Orchestra.  
2.15 Close Down.  
2.00 Mozart—Sonata In A Major, K. 331, Edwin Fischer (Piano).  
2.10 Mozart—Symphony No. 29 In A Major, K. 201.  
Sir Thomas Beecham conducting the London Philharmonic Orchestra.  
2.43 Closing Local Stock Quotations.  
2.45 London Relay—'Lucky Dip'. Seventeenth Edition; Presented by William MacLure. The music played by the Jenkins' Lucky Dip Orchestra under the direction of Jack Clarke.  
2.50 Dance Music by Carroll Gibbons (Piano) and His Boy Friends. I Double Dare You (Shand and Eaton); Have You Got Any Castles, Baby? (film 'Varsity Show'); Judy (Carmichael and Lerner); Stars Fell On Alabama (Grieg); Brazil (film 'A Pair Of Shoes (Simp); Sugar Rose (Fats Waller); You (film 'The Great Ziegfeld'); You Never Looked So Beautiful (film 'The Great Ziegfeld'); Foolin' Myself (Lawrence); You're Here, You're There, You're Everywhere (Kahala).  
3.00 Local Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements.

## 8.03 Studio—Concert by 'The Kent Quartette' with A. Wyllie at the Piano.

(a) John Peel; (b) Little Tommy Went A-Fishing... Quartette; 2. Mazurka (Sydney Smith)... A. Wyllie at the Piano; 3. (a) Carry Me Back To Old Virginia; (b) There are women... Quartette; 4. Mendelssohn Fragment (Casper)... A. Wyllie at the Piano; 5. Down Ye Cry, Ma Honey Quartette.

2.25 English Ballad Concert with Essie Ackland (Contralto) and The London Palladium Orchestra. The Liberator—March (Ancliffe); The Spirit Of Youth—March (Gilbert)... The London Palladium Orchestra; The Great Awakening (Johnstone and Kramer); A Summer Night (A. Goring Thomas)... Essie Ackland (Contralto) with Organ accompaniment by Herbert Dawson; A La Gavotte (Two Little Dances—Finck); La Minuet (Two Little Dances—Finck)... The London Palladium Orchestra; The London Palladium Orchestra; 60 Years Of Song (A Selection of Historical Song Successes)... The London Palladium Orchestra, by Richard Creen.  
3.00 Local Sport Results.  
3.05 Albert Sandier (Violin). Aladdin's Song (Kotelsky); The Phantom Melody (Kotelsky)... with the Composer at the Piano.  
3.15 London Relay—The News.  
3.30 London Relay—London Log.  
3.45 London Relay—Sports News and Market Notes.  
3.50 Relay of the Dance Orchestra from the Grill Room of the Hongkong Hotel.  
(a) Overture: Miltonquilt; (b) Marjuri; (c) Son Rezon; (d) Gloria de Granada.  
10.05 Record: All My Life (film 'Laughing Irish Eyes'); Sundown In Old Waikiki (Carlton and Ritz)... Guy Elliott's Hawaiian Novelty Quartet.  
10.10 (a) Where In the World; (b) Sheik of Araby; (c) Please be kind; (d) Some of these days.  
10.25 Records: La Cumparsita, Tango; Garufa, Tango... Novelty Piano Duo; Jean Wiener and Clement Debusse; Piano Medley Of Strauss Waltzes; Charlie Kunz.  
10.35 (a) Bewildered; (b) So you left me for the leader of a String Band; (c) Say it with a kiss; (d) Jeepers Creepers.  
10.40 Records: In The Chapel In The Moonlight (Hill); I've Got You Under My Skin (film 'Born To Dance')... Peter York (Violon); If You Were The Only Girl In The World (Ayre)... Brian Lawrence and His Landsdowne House Sextet.  
11.00 (a) Blue Danube; (b) Coco L'Artiste (c) On The Hills of Manchuria (d) Daisy.  
11.15 Record: Medley: Is it true what they say about Dixie? If a lady meets a gentleman down South; Sing, Baby Sing; San Francisco; Down South... Tarrant Bailey (Banjo) with Orchestra.  
11.20 (a) Solitude; (b) Got a pair of New Shoes; (c) Heart and Soul; (d) Struttin' Ball.  
11.35 Records: Charlie Kunz Piano Medley No. 2: Intro: I Need You; What will I tell my Heart; The Love Bug will Bite You; With Plenty of Money and You; Let's Put our Heads together; Moonlight and Shadows; With Plenty of Money and You... Charlie Kunz (Piano).  
Record: Tunes Of To-day No. 1: Intro: I double dare you; Sweet as a song; Mama, I wanna make rhythm... Reginald Foreythe and Arthur Young on two pianos.  
11.45 (a) I have Eyes; (b) Joo-bah; (c) Garden of the Moon; (d) Swingtime In Honolulu.  
12.0 Midnight Close down.

## Being Further Intimate Extracts From The Diary Of—

# MR. PEPYS IN HONGKONG

19th.—A foul damp day and to my office. But Lord! I am so out of order that it is with much trouble that I do order my papers, of which there are many. Reading later in the news sheet it seems there has been more road accidents this week than ever before. And thereat I marvel not as these last months I do find the Chinese even more foolish than before dashing across roads without a glance or, which is more, more, crossing in a zig-zag track the wrong way that their backs are toward the oncoming traffic; and some indeed there be who do walk so foggly that they do walk into a standing car. Some it may be are refugees and not acquainted with traffic, but some there be who would be run over in the Gobi desert. And, though I do admit there is much bad driving, I do not believe that this doth cause a majority of the deaths. But to rank it a traffic death when one alights from a moving tram seems most foolish. Much foolish talk in the news sheet correspondence upon the racing at Happy Valley though I do admit there is over much whipping in the straight at times. The ponies are most excellently housed and fed, far better I doubt not than many a poor refugee, and in most cases both from what I hear and what I see I do verily believe they enjoy racing. Yet there is one matter I fail would see altered and that is the sale of ponies to anyone after their owners decide to race them no more. And if they be of no use for racing it is in my mind that they should rather be put down painlessly rather than sold for a few dollars. So much business there was that I must needs go straight from my office to a route in Whipsnade, and there I am attacked by a chit whose Mamma it seems did repeat to her what I said of the Naughty Natives. And she did dance therein she did berate me soundly for my mistaken views. But Lord! she was so comely I did enjoy it.  
20th.—At five of the clock awakened by a thunderstorm which did steadily come up, and finally there was one clap that seemed above my very roof and my reading lamp did go out with a snap. And this I did suppose to be a blown fuse until in the morning I try a new bulb and it lights. And so I do lose three hours sleep. Being come into Town, though mighty wet, I do speak with one man who lives in Prince Edward Road and each was well assured that the clap was above his house. To Mr. Calbeck's house for luncheon after a glass or may-be two of the wine of Xeres, and so fall to reading in books which tells me that the Kings of the House of Stewart did come originally from Britanny and thence from Shropshire. And this makes me very merry. Later with Mr. Calbeck and his Lady to drink a glass of wine upon the King's small shippe Westcott. But the weather proves so foul that we are taken to the after smoking room of Medway. There all very merry it being cool and not over-thronged. Dined at the Clubbe, the first time these many days, and so home and to bed.  
21st (Lord's Day).—Lay late, the day being foul, the 'later I clear in some measure. Walking upon my lawn I am amazed to see how my pansies still do bloom albeit small, and I am minded to pick some for the Hospital. This night to the Picture House where I find Gracie Fields to be excellent, but Lord how weary I am of Mr. V. MacLagan who always do play the same role what he is, the picture may be. And so, after a glass of strong waters at the Hostelry I am driven home, and so to bed.  
22nd.—Last night when I did go to bed some short space after midnight, all seems very fine and the stars are out. But Lord! about half-past four comes yet another thunderstorm and I do lose my sleep. And this time it seems the telephone wire is struck somewhere outside my house, and it comes about that I cannot ring my own house from my office, when I am come there, which I do, but in mighty ill condition. For all is so damp that I am fain to change my garments some four times, while my rheumatick shoulder doth irk me sorely. This day my She-Child did saile upon a holiday and so to the wharfe to bid her farewell. But I am minded that it is high time that I did have some short period of rest but how may I do about I know not. To the Clubbe at seven of the clock for a glass or two after home by motor hackney. But Lord! what a pothier there was before I could make my driver take the journey, hee having been told that the road was down. And indeed there were several small falls in Magazine Gap Road but none but they could be passed. But cost what it may, the road is so good that I am able to get home.  
23rd.—May, Very busy in my office so that I scarce have leisure to scan the news-sheets. But I do note that the dogges again begin to take a diet of human flesh.  
24th.—This day, being Empire day is holiday for school-children and Civil Servants but all others work and I too. Early comes news that the Japanese do stop the Ropura and examine her papers which is beyond all law for all they may do is to make sure she files the registered flag. And there is much talk in the Clubbe at luncheon and Creed suggests that the company of the vessel had not yet learned to recognise a P. and O. shippe. But the general opinion tends to hold that it is connected with the trouble at Kulangsu. A hot afternoon and I do hasten home and bathe and trim myself before I do take Mistress M. to the King's Picture House and after at the Gaiety dancing. And to my greatest possible content, the band waltzes in perfect rhythm, and we do dance them heartily hot as it was.  
25th.—This morning comes news that the Japanese have stopped the Aramis which now makes more clear the tendency of this matter. And it remains to see if they dare to stop an United States liner or no. At about eleven the north east monsoon sets in again and it is quite cold and very wet. Gave luncheon to my friend Commander Erick who sails at dawn to-morrow, and two pretty Ladies at the Gripps. Thence, back to my office where I did work until a half after six of the clock and then home by motor hackney. Dined early and so to bed.

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Cebu	Hankow	Hongkong
Colon	Hankow	Hongkong
Hankow	Hankow	Hongkong
Harbin	Hankow	Hongkong
Hongkong	Hankow	Hongkong
Kobe	Hankow	Hongkong
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8.0 Local Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements.

8.03 Relay of a Recital by St. Joseph's Church Choir with the Very Rev. Father A. Hignett at the Organ.

1. Prelude in the old style (Baroncelli)... The Very Rev. Father Hignett at the Organ; 2. Ave Maria (Franco)... The Choir; 3. Ave Maria (Gounod)... Elvie Yuen (Soprano) with Violin Obligato; 4. Santa Maria (Gounod)... Organ; 5. Ave Maria (Schubert)... D. Carroll (Soprano) with Cello Obligato; 6. Little Trio (Monte)... Violin, Cello and Organ; 7. Ave Maria (Spinnelli)... A. Gutierrez (Tenor) and the Choir; 8. (a) Scherzo (Pischi); (b) A Song to

Mary (Bottiglieri)... Organ; 9. Ave Maria—Meditation (Ramelin)... The Choir.

8.40 Beethoven—Sonata In C Sharp Minor ("Moonlight"), Op. 27 No. 2. Piano solo by Egon Petri.

8.50 Studio—A Short Talk by The Rev. J. Sandbach.

9.10 Orchestral.

Fugue In G Minor (the 'Little G minor Fugue—Bach)... Leopold Stokowski and the Philadelphia Orchestra.

9.15 London Relay—The News and Newsletter.

9.25 London Relay—Sports Talk.

9.45 Organ Music.

Introductory And Fugue (from Fantasia on 'Ad Nos Saltem'—Franz Liszt)... Fernando German playing on the New York Wanamaker Auditorium Organ; Fantasia And Fugue On 'B.A.C.H.' (Liszt)... Guy Weitz playing on the Organ of Westminster Cathedral.

10.0 London Relay—London Music Festival, 1939.

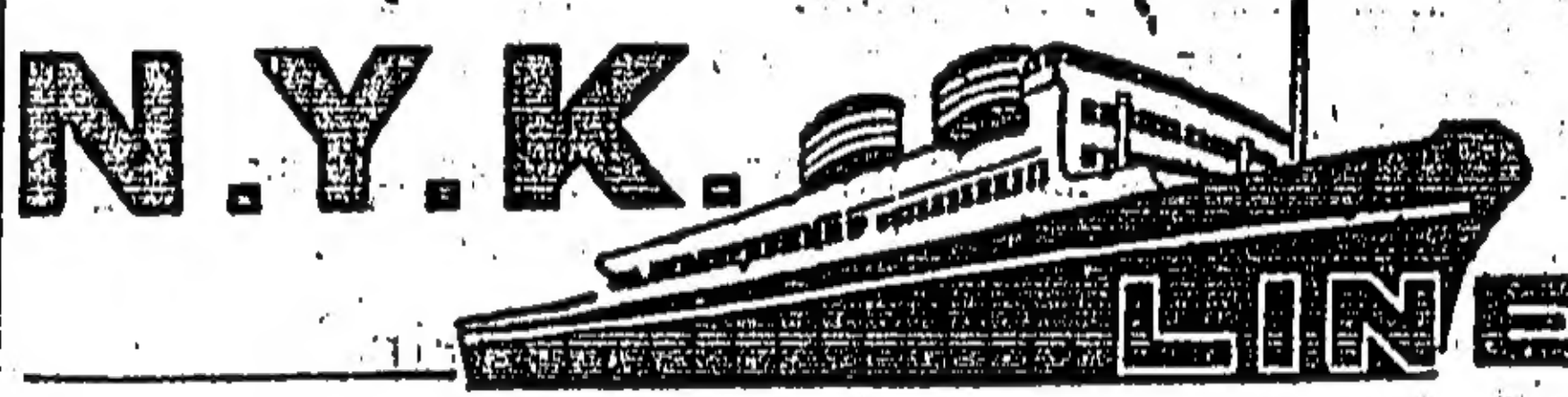
Beethoven Concert.

Mass In D (Missa Solennis); (1) Kyrie Eleison; (2) Gloria in excelsis; (3) Credo; (4) Sanctus; (5) Agnus Dei.

Zinka Milanov (Soprano); Kerstin Thorberg (Contralto); Koloman Von Patzky (Tenor); Nicola Moscona (Bass).

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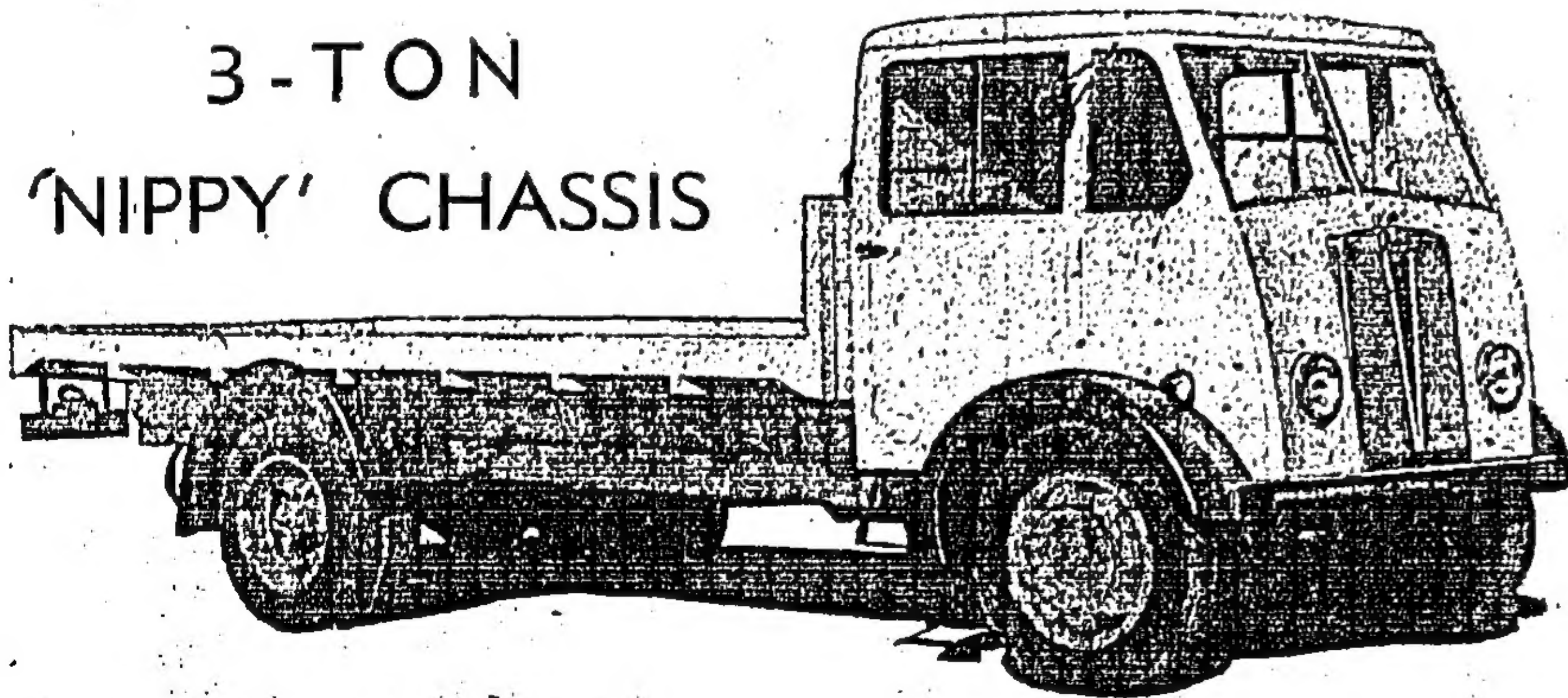
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## CHURCH NOTICES.

### METHODIST CHURCH

(Wanchai)

General Committee Meeting  
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WHIT MONDAY PICNIC

Services on Sunday, May 28, 1939.  
Preachers: Morning, Rev. E. Morison; Evening, Rev. J. E. Sandbach.

Junior Church at 9.30 a.m. All children welcome.

Morning Parade Service at 10.15 a.m. Hymn No. 230, Prayer, Hymn No. 91, 1st Lesson, Hymn No. 618, 2nd Lesson, Prayer, Notices, Hymn No. 230, Sermon, Hymn No. 300, Benediction.

Evening Service at 7 p.m.—Hymn No. 277, Prayer, Hymn No. 85, Lesson, Prayer, Notices, Hymn No. 676, Sermon, Hymn No. 274, Benediction.

1. Following the Evening Service a Social Hour will be held at the S. & S. Home at 8.15 p.m. All Service-men and civilians will be warmly welcomed.

2. A Launch Picnic to Tung Chung has been arranged for Whit Monday. Any wishing to join please note that the launch will leave the Fenwick Road Pier (opposite Seamen's Institute, Wanchai) at 1.45 p.m. sharp. It will call at the Kowloon Pier at 2 p.m.

3. There will be a meeting for Prayer and Fellowship at the S. & S. Home on Tuesday at 8.30 p.m.

4. The General Committee is meeting at the S. & S. Home on Wednesday at 5.30 p.m.

5. A Jumble Sale will be held in the Assembly Hall of the S. & S. Home on Friday, June 2, at 2.30 p.m.

### ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH

(Church of England, Kowloon)

Rev. J. R. Higgs to Preach

Whitsun Services

Sunday, May 28, Whitsunday.—Holy Communion will be celebrated at 7 a.m. and 8 a.m.

Whitsun Morning Festival Service at 11 a.m. Preacher: The Vicar.

Whitsun Evening Festival Service at 6.15 p.m. Preacher: The Vicar.

Young People's Service in the Church at 8 a.m. Leader: Mr. R. Baldwin.

Primary Sunday School in the Hall 10 a.m. Leader: Miss W. Robinson.

Week Day Notices  
Monday, May 29.—Medical War Working Party 10 a.m. There will be no meeting of the Fellowship of Youth this week.

Teachers' Preparation Class at 7 p.m. St. Andrew's Club "open" night at 9 p.m.

Tuesday, May 30.—St. Andrew's Brownie Pack meets at 3.30 p.m.; Boys' Choir Practice at 6 p.m.

Wednesday, May 31.—Medical War Working Party 10 a.m. St. Andrew's Wolf Cubs meet at 5.30 p.m. Rover Scout Crew (1st Kowloon) meet at 11 Cumberland Road, Kowloon Tong.

Thursday, June 1.—Boy Scout Troop meets at 6 p.m.; St. Andrew's Club at 9 p.m.

Friday, June 2.—Medical War Working Party 10 a.m. Full Choir Practice 6.30 p.m.

Saturday, June 3.—St. Andrew's Club Moonlight Launch Bathing Picnic for members and friends of the Club and the Church leaves the Police Pier at 8.15 p.m.

### LESSON SERMON

First Church of Christ,  
Scientist, Hongkong

The subject of the Lesson Sermon in all Christian Science Churches tomorrow, May 28, will be "Ancient and Modern Necromancy, alias Mesmerism and Hypnotism, De-nounced."

The Golden Text will be: "Mine hand shall be upon the prophets that see vanity, and that divine lies: and ye shall know that I am the Lord God." (Ezek. 13:23)

Among others the following citations will be read from the Bible Science Text-book: "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy.

"When the Science of Mind is understood, spiritualism will be found mainly erroneous, having no scientific basis nor origin, no proof nor power outside of the physical senses. There is no sexuality in Spirit. Animal magnetism has no scientific foundation, for God governs all that is real, harmonious, and eternal, and His power is neither animal nor human, His basis being a belief and this belief animal in Science animal magnetism, mesmerism, or hypnotism is a mere negation, possessing neither intelligence, power, nor reality, and in sense it is an error, a concept of the so-called mortal mind. Mankind must learn that evil is not power." (Pages 71, 102).

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Preacher at both services, Rev. K. Mackenzie Dow.

The offering at both services will be devoted to the work of the Alice Memorial and Affiliated Hospitals. It is hoped that contributions will be as generous as possible, and that any who are unable to attend, will send their donation either to the Church, or to the hospital direct.

The Helena May Religious Fellowship meets in the Institute on Friday morning at 10.30 a.m. All ladies of the Union Church are cordially invited to attend.

The soloist is Mrs. Helen Lockhart, who will sing:  
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Whitsuntide

Sunday, May 28, Whitsunday. Holy Communion 7.15 a.m. and 8 a.m.; Choral Eucharist 10 a.m. Note that the usual Children's Service for the fourth Sunday in the month will not be held this month.

Sunday School will be as usual in No. 3 Duke Street; juniors at 9 a.m., seniors at 10.

Evening, 6.30 p.m. As Whitsunday is one of the great festivals of the Church, an extra service of Holy Communion will be held, at 8 a.m.

Young People's Class, for people twelve years old and over, is held in the gallery at 9 a.m.

Thursday, June 1.—Holy Communion, 7.15 a.m.; Guild of Martha and Mary Sewing Meeting, in the Vicarage, 100 Waterloo Road, 10 a.m. to noon; Wolf Cubs, in No. 3 Duke Street, 5.30 p.m.

Friday, June 2.—Full Choir practice in church, 6 p.m.

Saturday, June 3.—Christ Church Fellowship launch picnic leaves Police Pier 3.45 p.m. Charge for non-guarantors 80 cts., children 40 cts. All members and their friends welcome.

### SECOND CHARITY FAIR

Will be Held at Sir Robert

Ho Tung's Residence

A second Children's Charity Fair has been arranged to take place on June 2 at 254, The Peak, in the house and grounds of Sir Robert Ho Tung.

The first fair, held this week in Kowloon, proved a great success. These fairs have been organised by Miss Irene Ho Tung and a committee comprised of English and Chinese women for the benefit of the Hongkong Branch of the National Association for the Care of War Orphans.

Sir Robert Ho Tung has kindly thrown open his home and gardens for the coming fair, which will include all the attractions of the previous fair plus extra side-shows.

### Breeches-Buoy

As there is a lake in the garden of "The Falls," a breeches-buoy will be manned by sailors and it is hoped that boating on the lake can be arranged.

There will be two dress parades by European and Chinese children, organised by Mrs. J. W. Anderson and Mrs. M. J. Abbott. Mrs. D. F. Landale is organising provision of teas.

At 6 p.m. a cinema show will be given by the Chinese orphans who will sing for the visitors.

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There will be one collection from the pillar-boxes on Sundays and one delivery of Registered and Ordinary Correspondence at 11 a.m.

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### INWARD MAILS

From	Per	Due
Haliphong	Canton	May 27
Shanghai and Swatow	Chengtu	May 27
Japan	Nagore	May 27
Manila	Niel Mersk	May 27
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco date, 5th May).	Pres. Coolidge	May 27
Shanghai	Victoria	May 27
Japan	Yuenan	May 27
Haliphong, Pakhoi and Port Bayard	Kiungchow	May 28
Shanghai	Peter Mersk	May 28
Shanghai and Swatow	Sinkiang	May 28
Shanghai and Amoy	Tsinan	May 28
Shanghai	Aeneas	May 29
Straits	Behar	May 29
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—London date, 24th May	Imperial Airways Plane	May 28
Java and Manila	Tjinegara	May 29
Tientsin and Swatow	Yunnan	May 29
Shanghai and Swatow	Pronto	May 30
Straits	Van Heutsz	May 30
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### OUTWARD MAILS

For	Per	Date and Time
Saturday		
Fort Bayard and Pakhoi	Kiungchow	Sat., May 27, 2.30 p.m.
Manila and Naples—due Naples, Victoria	Sat., May 27, 3.30 p.m.	18th June
Amoy	Anshun	Sat., May 27, 5 p.m.
Manila	Pres. Coolidge	Sat., May 27, 5 p.m.
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Papers only for Straits and (Parcels) Yuenan	Sat., May 27, 5 p.m.	Papers only for Calcutta
Sunday		
Swatow	Sochow	Sun., May 28, 9 a.m.
Amoy	Tjinegara	Sun., May 28, 9 a.m.
Haliphong	Wing Sang	Sun., May 28, 9 a.m.

Monday	Imperial Airways Imperial Airways Plane	Monday, May 29
Air Mail for "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due London, 5th June	Reg. ....	May 29, Noon
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Tuesday	Imperial Airways Imperial Airways Plane	Tues., May 30
Parcels only for Straits, Penang, Aeneas	G.P.O. and K.P.O.	May 30, Noon
Ceylon, Aden, Egypt, Marseilles and London—due London, 9th July	Parcels	May 30, Noon
Haliphong	Canton	Tues., May 30, 2 p.m.
Swatow	Chengtu	Tues., May 30, 2.30 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan and Europe (except Great Britain and Elro) via Yasukuni Maru	Tues., May 30, 3.30 p.m.	Siberia
Wednesday		
Swatow	Esang	Wed., May 31, 12.30 p.m.
Swatow and Saigon	Kwelyang	Wed., May 31, 3.30 p.m.
Amoy	Tsinan	Wed., May 31, 3.30 p.m.

Thursday	Imperial Airways Imperial Airways Plane	Thurs., June 1
Air Mail for "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due London, 8th June	Reg. ....	June 1, 5 p.m.
	Ord. ....	June 1, 5.30 p.m.
	Reg. ....	June 1, 5 p.m.
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Air Mail for Malaya, Java and Australia by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due Sydney 9th June	Reg. ....	June 1, 5 p.m.
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Friday	Imperial Airways Imperial Airways Plane	Fri., June 2
Air Mail for Manila, Guam, Honolulu, and U.S.A., by the "Pan-American Airways Direct Service"—due San Francisco, 7th June	Reg. ....	June 2, 5 p.m.
	Ord. ....	June 2, 5.30 p.m.
	Reg. ....	June 2, 5 p.m.
	Ord. ....	June 2, 5 p.m.
Manila and Parcels only for Germany via Hamburg	Scharnhorst	Thurs., June 1, 7 p.m.

Saturday	Imperial Airways Imperial Airways Plane	Sat., June 3
Haliphong	Yusang	Sat., June 3, 2 p.m.
Fort Bayard and Pakhoi	Kiangsu	Sat., June 3, 2.30 p.m.
(Papers only for Straits, Ceylon, India and East Africa) Behar, Laurence Marques and (Parcels and Papers only for South Africa via Durban).	Manila Maru	Sat., June 3, 2.30 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., President Coolidge	G.P.O. and K.P.O.	Sat., June 3, 4 p.m.
Central and South America via San Francisco and (Papers only for Canada)—due San Francisco, 23rd June	Reg. ....	June 3, 5 p.m.
	Ord. ....	June 3, 5.30 p.m.

Sunday	Imperial Airways Imperial Airways Plane	Sun., June 4
Swatow	Takung	Sun., June 4, 9 a.m.



# FREUD, IN FEAR, KEPT THIS BOOK SECRET

## Plans For Territorial Call-Up

Plans for simplifying mobilisation of the Services were outlined by Mr. Horre-Bellsho, Secretary for War, moving the second reading of the Reserve and Auxiliary Forces Bill in the House of Commons recently. It provides for calling up, in batches and at convenient dates, a large proportion of the Regular Services, including officers, who will be required to serve, so far as can be foreseen, for not more than three months. Personnel of the Territorial Army anti-aircraft units will be called up this summer in rotation, and no individual is expected to be on service for more than one month. They will be at war stations.

### GUNNERY PRACTICE

Arrangements will be made for gunnery personnel to train for a fortnight out of the month at practice camps, so that in their case the rotation of units at the selected war stations will be more frequent. Land which will be acquired will be mainly used for permanent defences, which will be manned later for the militia.

Huts will be erected on the sites, and it is hoped that most of these will be ready in time for use by the Territorials, who will be coming out for their month's spell of duty.

### FLEET RESERVE

The Admiralty, in order to increase the readiness of the Reserve Fleet, including the anti-submarine and mine sweeping units, are to call out Class D of the Royal Fleet Reserve—estimated at about 3,500 men—in two batches for service of three months each.

Pensioners who have most recently finished their active service engagements, numbering 1,500 in two batches of 750, will be called out for a similar period of service.

About 300 members of the Royal Naval Patrol Service and about 100 Royal Naval Volunteers, wireless reserve ratings, will also be called out; a number of retired officers will be required for six months' service.

A proportion of the Auxiliary Air Force will be called up at the same time as the anti-aircraft units, and in a similar rotation, for periods of one month.

### SQUIRREL CHIMNEY

Watertown, Mass. When Patrick McHugh built a fire on moving into his newly-purchased home, the smoke went everywhere but up the chimney. Firemen found a squirrel's nest in the chimney had blocked the smoke and caught fire.

A GERMAN book which recently appeared in Amsterdam shows that the threat of persecution still hangs over the scientific research worker as menacingly as it did in the darkest periods of history.

"For these reasons," wrote the author in 1938, "I shall not let this work be known, but that does not prevent me from writing it down. . . . It can then lie hidden until a time comes when it can safely venture into the light or until someone who reaches the same conclusions and opinions can be told: 'There was somebody even in those dark days who thought the same as you.'"

The book is by Professor Sigmund Freud; its title, "Moses and Monotheism." The public who have been awaiting its publication for years were told that it would only appear after the author's death.

Clearly it is among Freud's most important speculative work. It suggests that Moses was not a Jew but an Egyptian follower of the Pharaoh Akhnaton, and it is from Akhnaton's sun-worship that he believes Judaism and Christianity to be derived.

### THEORY OF RELIGION

In the course of the argument Freud examines the causes of anti-semitism, the continued existence of the Jewish race, and will offend large sections of public opinion by his whole treatment of religion, which he sees as a counter-part of neurosis in the individual.

Its power, he says, "comes from the truth it contains, only this truth is not a material truth, but an historical one."

The circumstances which have made publication possible are ironically due to Hitler.

The research and most of the writing were done several years ago in the Vienna of Dollfus and Schuschnigg.

But these dictatorialships were so closely linked with the Roman Catholic Church that an offence caused to the latter would have meant the suppression of the psychoanalytic movement whose headquarters were in Vienna.

### LEFT VIENNA

Accordingly Freud wrote his treatise and published only inoffensive extracts.

In March, 1938, came the German invasion.

"In the certainty of being pursued now not only for my beliefs but also for my 'race,' I left the city which from early childhood onwards had been my home for 78 years."

"I found," he goes on, "a warm welcome in beautiful free, large-hearted England. . . . There were no more external restraints, or at least none from which one should shrink back."

"In the few weeks of my stay here I have received a great number of greetings from friends who were glad I was here, from people I had not met and others who had no sort of connection with me."

"As well—in numbers which seemed surprising to a foreigner—letters of another kind, which were concerned about my spiritual welfare, which showed me the way of Christ and

wished to enlighten me on the future of Israel."

"The good people who wrote like this cannot have known much about me," he goes on with an almost audible sigh.

"I expect when this work on Moses is published among my new fellow-countrymen I shall also lose enough of the goodwill now shown me by many others."

"Der Mann Moses und die Monotheistische Religion," von Sigmund Freud. Verlag Albert de Lange, Amsterdam.

## New Face Built On A Boy

A 12-YEAR-OLD boy, who is described by his father as a "miracle of modern surgery," had his eleventh operation in two and a half years recently.

He had a bone from a rib grafted into his nose at the Hospital for Sick Children, Great Ormond Street, London.

The boy, Raymond Stevenson, of Louth, Lincolnshire, was badly hurt and disfigured in a motor accident.

When he recovered from the first effects of his injuries, surgeons commenced to rebuild his face. This has now been done.

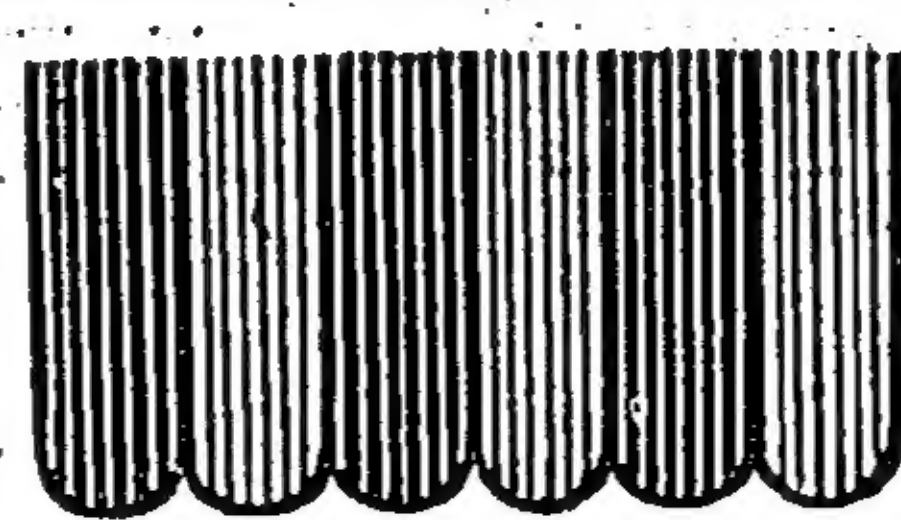
### LIFE BEGINS AGAIN

"My boy has been given a completely new face and a chance to lead a normal life," Mr. John P. Stevenson said. "He was terribly disfigured; now his face will be normal."

"The surgeons have taken skin from his chest and thighs and grafted it on to his face. Unless I had seen the new face built up, I would never have believed it possible."

Raymond collects stamps as a hobby and makes light of all he has undergone.

"I like hospital life," he said.



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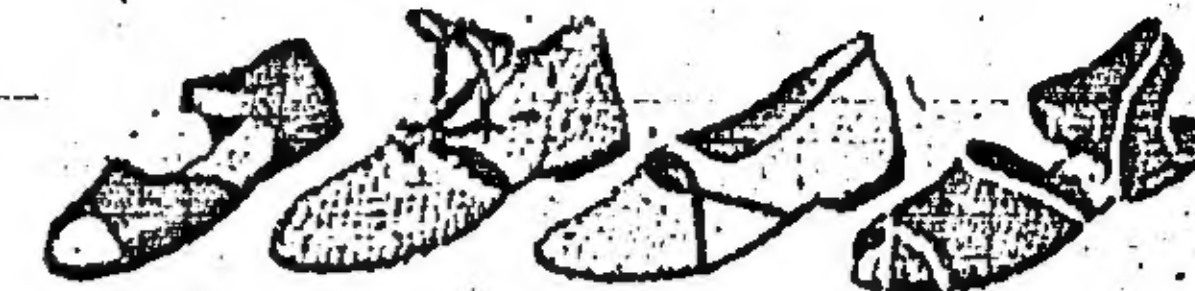
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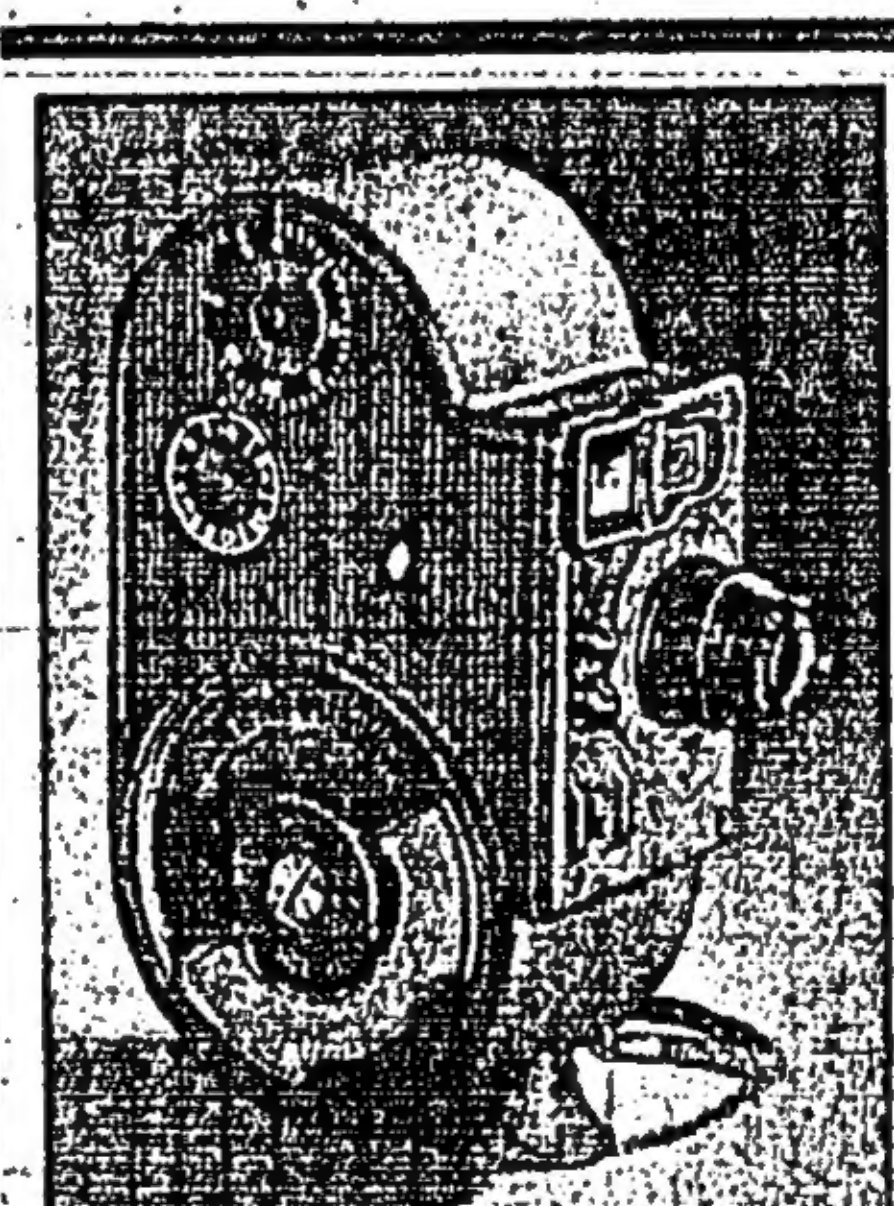
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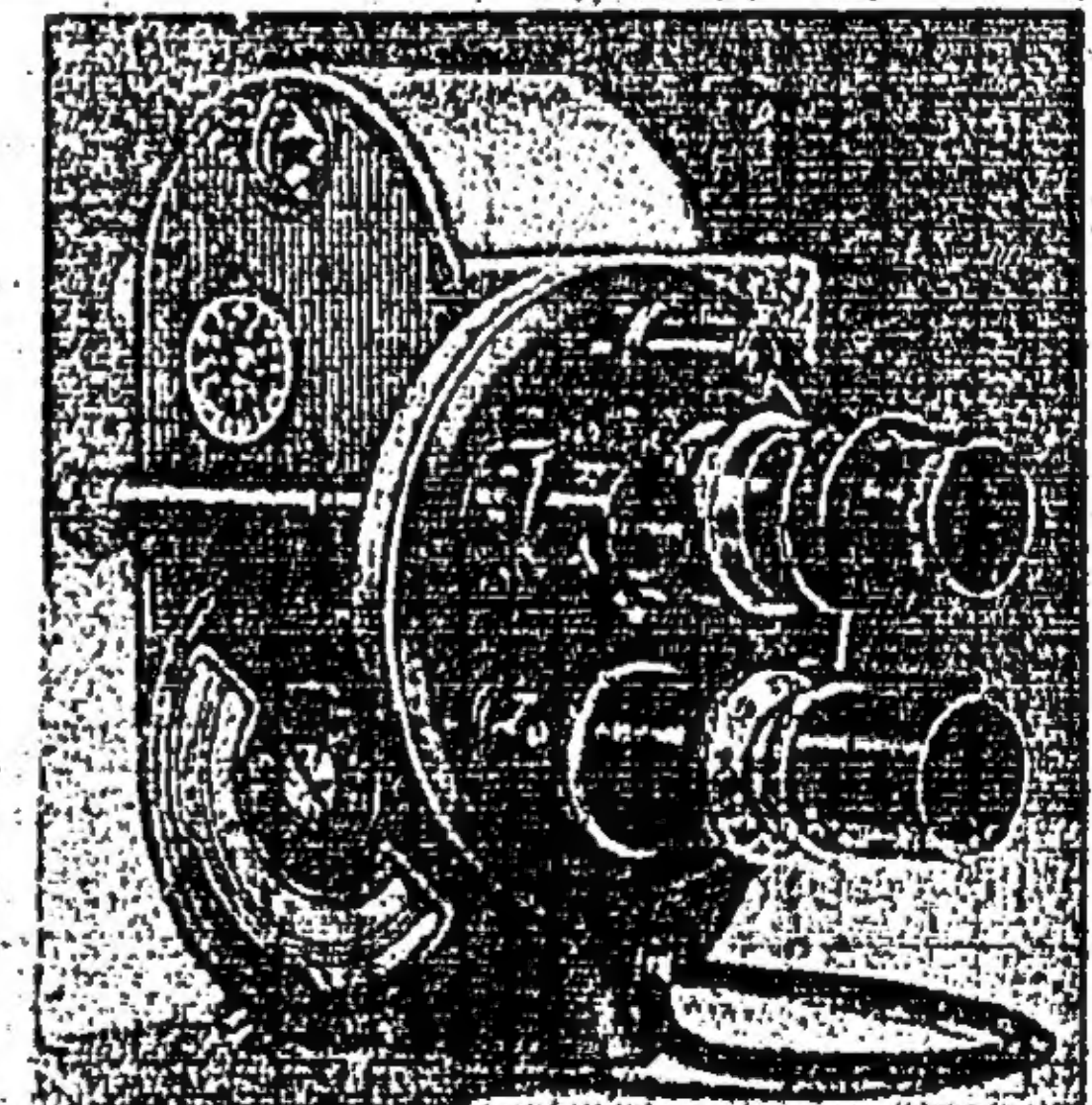
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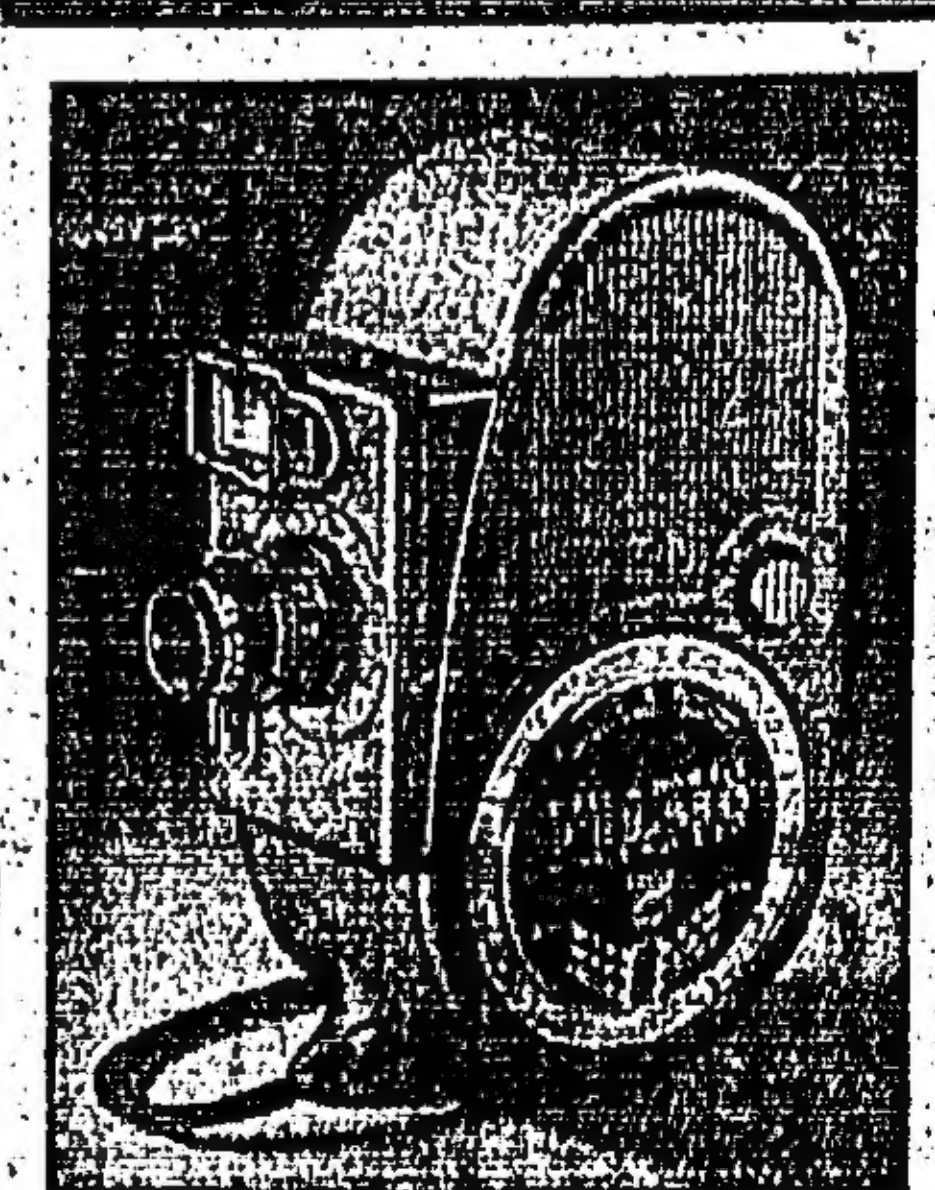
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## LATE NEWS

### Internees Try Great War Ruse

A RUSE to escape from internment so often adopted with success by interned soldiers in the Great War was employed by five Chinese soldiers in the Matsu-chung internment camp yesterday evening, but the ending, for them, was unhappy.

They were discovered and brought before the magistrate this morning.

The men, Cheng Kwok-ki, Lion Pak-kan, Sui Ki-hon, Pang Tze, and Tam Kuan-mon, tried to gain freedom from the camp by hiding in a lorry loaded with straw.

The man nearly escaped, but just as the lorry was leaving the camp, they were caught by the police who had been informed.

Mr. Eric Hinworth, the Kowloon Magistrate, this morning sentenced the five men to one month's imprisonment, at the same time remarking that he sympathized with them. However, he pointed out that as conditions are at the present, they should obey the law.

Inspector Rogers, prosecuting, said the men concealed themselves in the straw after it had been loaded into the lorry by internees. However, they were spotted by somebody in the camp and the police were tipped off. The lorry was stopped and searched as it was passing through the camp gates.

### Prices Soar At Kulangsu

KULANGSU, May 27.—Commodity prices rocketed skyward on Friday following enforcement of the traffic of junk between Kulangsu and the Continent by the Japanese naval authorities.

Fuel prices rallied by 50 to 100 per cent during Friday alone. Merchants are manoeuvring to put heavy premiums on key necessities, while markets were flooded with anxious citizens trying to lay in stocks of immediate necessities.—Domei.

### France and Turkey

PARIS, May 26.—It has been authoritatively stated that the mutual air pact between France and Turkey will be concluded early next week.

The pact will include a joint declaration of reciprocal guarantees similar to the Anglo-Turkish agreement.

Secondly it will announce the transfer of Alexandretta and Sandjak to Turkey and a Turkish guarantee of the existing Turko-Syrian frontier.—United Press.

### Bomber Shot Down

YUANKU, May 27.—A heavy Japanese bomber was shot down at Chungshan, about three miles east of Yicheng in south Shansi, on May 20. The machine was totally wrecked.—Central News.

### Dennis Leaves Calcutta

CALCUTTA, May 26.—M. Gilbert Dennis, the French aviator who made a forced landing near Calcutta on May 2 in an attempted record-breaking flight between Paris and Saigon, left here for Akyab, Burma, at 8.00 o'clock this morning to continue his flight to Saigon.—Domei.

### Aaland Islands

HELSINGFORS, May 26.—It has been learned from reliable sources that Finland might proceed with the fortification of the Aaland Islands despite Russian objections.

It is indicated that responsible Government circles are against Moscow's attitude.—United Press.

### German Volunteers

VIGO, May 26.—Five boatloads of German volunteers left Spain for Hamburg to-day.—United Press.

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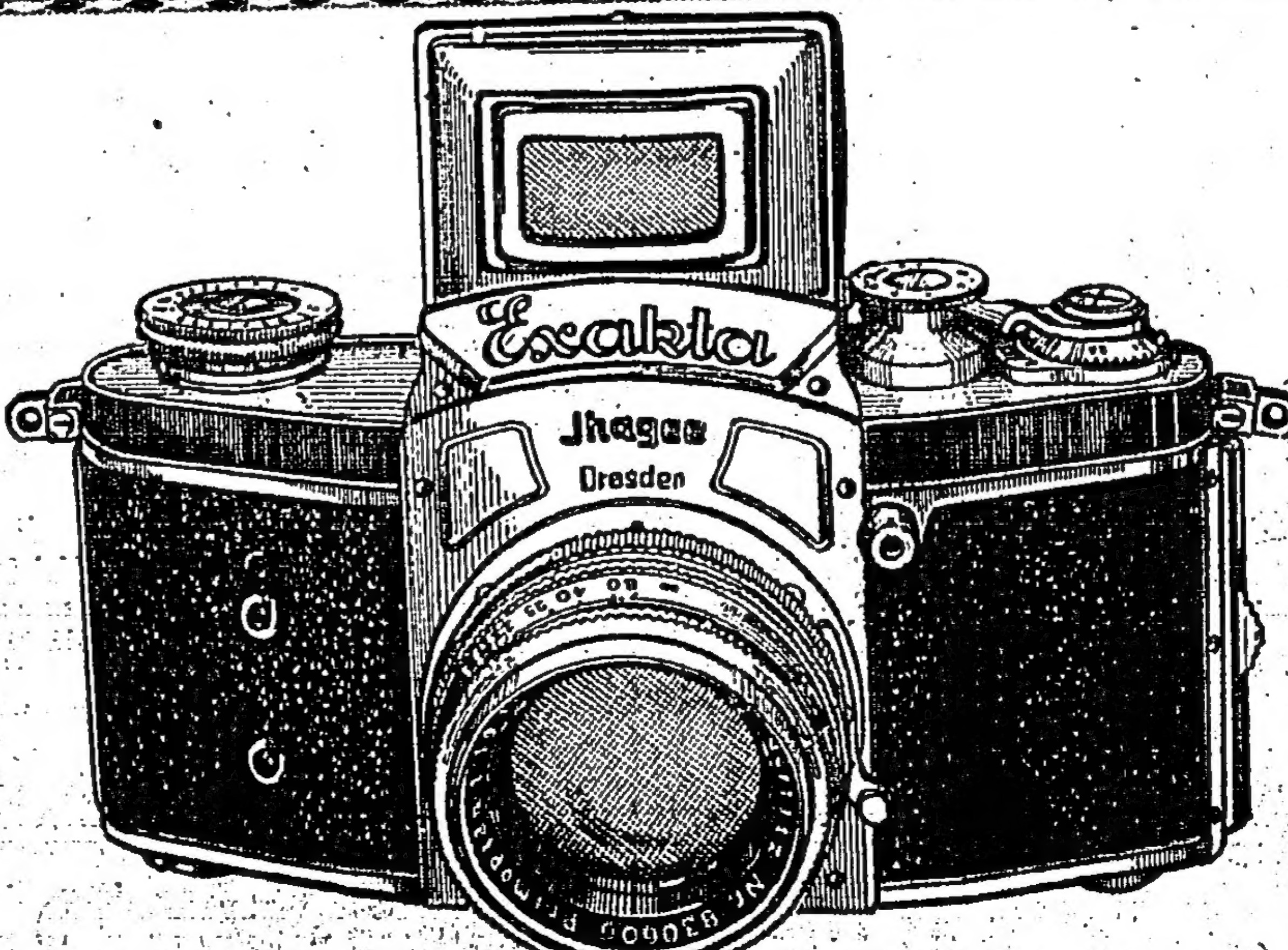
Anniversary Celebrations This Week-End

The Anniversary Celebrations of the Kowloon Union Church were held in the Church Hall last night, when about 40 persons attended a Congregational Supper and social.

The Rev. Frank Short, of the London Missionary Society, acted as Chairman, and after welcoming the guests, recalled briefly the connection between the London Missionary Society and the Union Church in Hong-kong. The Rev. J. E. Sandbach, Minister of the English Methodist Church, Wanchai; and Rev. E. MacKenzie, Dow, Minister of the Hong-kong Union Church, also addressed the gathering.

Entertainment was provided during the evening by Miss Pauline Hawke (pianoforte), and Captain M. Thomson (songs).

Mr. A. W. Ingram expressed thanks to the speakers and the artists at the conclusion of the celebrations. Anniversary Services will be conducted at the Kowloon Union Church to-morrow by the Rev. Frank Short.



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